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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 2 Peking Road, on Thursday, September 15, 1938, at 3.45 p.m. in the afternoon for the purpose of considering and if thought fit passing the following Resolution as a Special Resolution, viz.

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Shanghai, August 20, 1938.

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Shanghai, September 1, 1938.

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SEPTEMBER

8 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30

Coming Events

SEPTEMBER

10 Deutsche Arbeitsfront Tanzfest, Race Course, 8.30
11 R.A.O.B. New Cafe, 1257 B/Well, 7.30
15 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
17 B.U.S.C. garden party, St. John's University Campus, 4 to 6.30
19 Cradle Bridge/Mahjongg Tea. For. Y., 3
19 Choral Society, 1st Practice, 5.30
22 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30

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5 Bridge/Mahjongg Tournament, BFRC, 3
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By Order of the Board of Directors,
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Shanghai, September 6, 1938.

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Hankow Arrests:

Cause of Perturbation

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—The majority of foreigners in this port are much distressed with the arrests of their friends by the military authorities.

Recently seven were taken away, now another five. The arrested are not allowed to communicate outside, cannot receive food or a change of clothing, nor obtain legal advice or representation.

Those men are our friends, one for thirty years, another for fifteen years has made a fair living as a dentist here, a third is an M. D. The distressed state of mind arises from not knowing what is happening, some courtesy such as representation in court would considerably ease the feelings of their many friends.

Officially foreign and Chinese civic authorities are doing everything possible, as many of those arrested are well known and respected; public opinion of what is fair and reasonable has always been influential in China; can it be hoped for to ease the misfortune of our unhappy friends?

R. N. H.

Hankow, Aug. 31.

The Open Door:

Parcel Post to Manchoukuo

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—As a matter of interest I would like to mention a case where a package of my company's stationery was refused by the Japanese authorities in Mukden on the grounds that the contents were not Japanese manufacture.

The package was despatched by us last month under Parcel receipt number 72602 and was returned to us today with the demand for 80 cents return postage fee, and the above mentioned information.

It would appear on the face of it that there is an embargo against foreign goods—a matter, you will agree, of some seriousness although parcel deliveries are not so terribly important in trade. Maybe you will feel inclined to enquire into the matter and, perhaps, if you published this letter, other firms might save themselves the expense of posting such parcels for delivery through the open door of Manchoukuo.

INTERESTED.

Shanghai, Sept. 2.

***Japanese spokesmen, in reply to inquiries, said that they had no information of similar cases, but suggested that incorrect information might have been placed on the declaration form.—ED.

Hunchun Treaty:

Published Several Times

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I notice that you have published a letter from Mr. T. H. Chen dated August 14, correcting a Reuter message that according to the "Daily Telegraph" the Hun-ch'un Treaty was a "mysterious document" of which no trace could be found in the Library of the British Museum.

Mr. T. H. Chen has already pointed out that this Treaty has been referred to in the "General History of the Ts'ing-Dynasty" by Shao Yih-shan, published in Chinese by the Commercial Press, Shanghai, 1928.

Allow me to add that the full text of the Hun-ch'un Treaty and a detailed report of the negotiations leading to it etc., can be found, covering not less than nineteen pages—ch. 4, double-pages 36 to 45—, in a Chinese publication 中俄國際約注 Chung Ngo Kuo Chi-yueh-chu by 紹常 Shao Ch'ang (1905). The text alone has been published at least twice at an earlier date, including the official collection of documents by the—at that date—Tsung-li Yamen, and probably many times later on. But the publication quoted above, seems to be the most detailed one.

Hoping to have contributed a little to the information of circles interested.

DR. HERB. MUELLER.

Peiping, Aug. 30.

Repeating History:

Argument Held Unconvincing

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—In the light of the Covenant of the League of Nations, the Nine-Power Treaty, and the Kellogg-Briand Pact of Peace, I have found the elaborated argument of Viscount Ishii in his article on "History Repeating Itself" sorely delusive and not worth considering. Of course I am speaking from the standpoint of a civilized state which is willing and able to observe even a so-called gentlemen's agreement.

In spite of what happens around us, Sir, as I perceive, not only humanity, but history itself as well cannot be blindfolded even when expediency and might handle the bandage together with gloves. Apologists must find it hard and barren to justify injustice, especially of a most violent nature. Truth may take care of itself in time even in this wicked world of ours.

GEORGE FULLER.

Shanghai, Sept. 6.

An Enquiry:

Death of Young U.S. Marine

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I simply do not want to go butting about the Marine Corps nor write the commanding officer, but I am thinking of giving up my desk here and in cleaning up, found a notation which I had overlooked. I have lost the letter and having such marvellous success with my prickly heat letter, the lost Kobe letters, etc., wondering if this will be allowed in your column. I don't want them coming here, but I will be at 66 Great Western Road, Tel. 22023, for some weeks and if you publish the letter and anyone comes in or writes, they can get in touch with me there.

A sister in Portland, Oregon, wrote me sometime ago enclosing a note from the mother of a boy named Craig, a young Marine who was accidentally killed here in February, and asking me to find out more details, if possible, as his last letter written just before his death, was "so cheery." She is not satisfied with the War Department's report of his death.

If any of his 'buddies' know anything that might make his mother feel better, I will be very much obliged to them as my sister who knows her only through a department store she works for as a house-detective, is terribly sorry for her.

INTERESTED.

Shanghai, Sept. 7.

This Strange World:

The Jews in Austria

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Thank you! Thank you very much for your honest and outspoken editorial which appeared in your today's issue.

The world is really strange, and the people of this strange world are cold, selfish and bloodthirsty.

It is not strange and sudden, that young Jewish men are being detained by the Nazi authorities, and it will not be strange when the same young Jews will be sent to the front lines to protect and, of course, to die for the Fatherland.

SNAP.

Shanghai, Sept. 7.

Mr. Hsu Sing-loh:

State of Memorial Fund

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I beg to inform you that the memorial fund for the late Mr. Hsu Sing-loh received by the National Commercial Bank up to September 5 amounts to C$3,349 and £25 respectively. While names and amount will be acknowledged in the Chinese Newspaper in detail, your kind publication of the above information will be highly appreciated.

LI MING.

Shanghai, Sept. 7.

The results of the appeal for a memorial to the late Mr. Hsu Sing-loh, to date is as follow:—

	£	C$
To Contributions as above "North-China Daily News"	25	3,349
Fund for Mr. Hsu Sing-loh	11	15,420
Total	36	18,769

Office Buildings:

Water Consumption Figures

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—May I respectfully trespass on the generosity of your goodself and the readers of the "N.C.D.N." to enquire whether there exists in this city any reliable source of information regarding water consumption for the average office building without apartments.

I am particularly anxious to gather data covering average daily consumption per head.

P.

Shanghai, Sept. 7.

An Affliction:

Support for "Stinky"

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—STINKY has, indeed, hit the nail on the head. Let's hope a sufficient number of disgusted French Concession residents will come forward and join in the protest against the morning procession of "honey carts" along Rue du Consulat. What with foul-smelling garbage being dumped in vacant lots in the residential sections of the Concession and "honey carts" tripping their fragrant way through the business districts we will soon have to go about our daily duties with a clothes pin clamped on our much abused noses.

NAUSEATED.

Shanghai, Sept. 7.

What does it Mean?

"Hippocamelephantoles"

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Will you or one of your readers kindly inform me as to the meaning of the word, "Hippocamelephantoles" which occurs in Act I Scene IV of Edmond Rostand's "Cyrano de Bergerac."

INTERESTED.

Shanghai, Sept. 7.

The Silly Season:

Confusion Worse Confounded

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—It is regrettable to see that ASSISTANT has injected much that is both irreverent and irrelevant and flavoured with a hint of what apparently is intended for inappropriate levity. Maybe there was something the matter with his canary—at any rate this circle business makes confusion worse confounded. It is so easy to put the whiskers in the wrong places—so hard to draw the circles—so easy to go around in them as the "new country heard from" seems to have done. What would he suggest re brothers and sister—draw a square to be identified by means of a Christmas tree gaily bedecked with abacus! (look that one up even if afraid to look in a mirror!) and other toys to ensure clear thinking?

Everything is now very clear except as to whether your correspondents are trying to prove anything, and if so, what. Further, while my mirror is now broken (why?—may be those of your other correspondents would be also under similar strain) could not a zazor be used to rectify things should a father, grandfather or god-father suddenly appear rather than oneself? My own case is simpler since even a great-grandfather (cannot some kind soul project one into the picture—or even invoke the escalator clause or the Darwinian theory?—the higher the more better?) looks almost the same to what is certainly now a very tired little, hot little, and most confused little

BEAR

("Himself"—now off to hibernate and meditate)

Shanghai, Sept. 7.

***This correspondence is now closed.—ED.

Prayer for China:

A Plea from Changsha

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—A few days ago a general letter issued by the Theological Seminary, Changsha, calling the nation and the Christians of the world to pray for China was placed in my hands. This letter is supposed to have been inspired by a distinguished Chinese official. The content of the letter is a call to the Christians of all faiths to set apart last Thursday, September 1, as a day of fasting and prayer for the Chinese nation at this the most critical time in the long history of China, perhaps. The letter also requests that all Christians set apart each succeeding Thursday from September 1 until the time an armistice is signed between China and Japan, as a time of special prayer in the churches and homes for the nation.

This writer finds himself in very sympathetic agreement with this fine sentiment and wishes to urge upon all Christians in Shanghai and in every other place to earnestly pray for China throughout today and also to remember to do the same on each succeeding Thursday until peace with honour comes to this distressed but brave land.

REV. W. H. TURNER.

Shanghai, Sept. 8.

"The Far Eastern Review"

The August number of "The Far Eastern Review" opens with an article entitled "Manchoukuo and the Republic of China—Some Comparisons" in the course of which it is stated:

> ....those countries that have refused recognition to Manchoukuo and which have made the loudest complaints, charging that Manchoukuo has shut the "Open Door" to foreign trade, are the very countries whose export trade with the new State has risen to new high records....

Major-Gen. Tsunekichi Kohno (retired) writes on the "State of Affairs in the Orient Today" and H. P. Smolka on "Russia's Arctic Empire in the Next War." There is also reprinted Admiral Uriu's last letter to an American, written a week before his death. "Soviet Ukraine—Land of Plenty and Purges"; "Soviet Propaganda in America" by Ralph Townsend, former U.S. Vice-Consul at Shanghai and Foochow; and "Economic Reconstruction in China" are other articles. "The Whangpoo and Other Estuary Channels" by Brysson Cunningham is the 1937-8 Vernon-Harcourt Lecture of the Institution of Civil Engineers, and is illustrated by charts. There are four well-illustrated articles on railways in China, Malaya and Manchoukuo, while "Korea's Gold Deposits" by James Bichan, is reproduced, as are also "The Growth of India's Cement Industry," "China—a Treasure Land of Raw Materials", and "Tientsin's Asphaltic Concrete Roads," while the Engineering Notes are informative.

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS," OF SEPTEMBER 8, 1878

Some correspondents has been sent to us respecting the straggling of jinrikshas about the main thoroughfares of the Settlement and their congregation in any number from two to half-a-dozen or more exactly at the corners of streets. On the Bund on Wednesday forenoon, a gentleman driving a valuable pony in a trap, was actually run into by a cluster of them. They were "all over the road," and racing to pick up a fare. The runners were heedless of anything in the shape of horseflesh approaching and hence the result described. One jinriksha was overset, and the pony's forefeet became entangled in the spokes of one of the wheels. Fortunately no further harm was done than the alarm caused by the sudden shock, except to the jinriksha. The occurrence took up several minutes, during which time there was not a police constable in sight. Yesterday a similar accident happened in Nanking Road, and it was only a few days ago that a jinriksha in which were two children, was overturned in Szechuen Road by one of three others which were also hurrying to take up a passenger, one of the children receiving a cut on the forehead. But such matters as these have been so often written about without producing any lasting effect, that it is idle to waste more ink. The police authorities no doubt issue orders for the due regulation of jinriksha traffic, but the constables only carry them out spasmodically or not at all. There should be a street inspector appointed, as in all well-governed communities at Home.

WARRANT Officer Cuthbert Quantrell, known as "Buster" of the Marylebone Police Court, four months ago weighed 19½ stone, and now weighs 13½ stone, so that his colleagues hardly recognize him. He has had to be fitted for a new uniform, and says he feels extremely fit on his new diet, suggested by St. Thomas's Hospital. The diet is: Breakfast—two slices brown bread or four pre-digested biscuits with butter just to cover; tea with milk, no sugar, one egg, fruit. Dinner—lean meat, green vegetables; fresh fruit; one slice brown bread or two pre-digested biscuits. Tea—tea with milk, no sugar, two slices brown bread with butter to cover; one egg or one oz. of cheese; salad or fruit; Supper—one egg or 1 oz. cheese, lean meat or steamed fish; green vegetables or salad; one slice brown bread, butter to cover; fruit. White bread, cakes and puddings, cereals such as rice, sago or cornflour, porridge and root vegetables, dried fruits, sugar, jam, honey, egg substitutes, vegetable oils and all fried foods are avoided. Saccharine may be used for sweetening instead of sugar. There seems to be no starvation about it.

London Letter

Archery is Proving Popular Among Both Sexes at Home

Lauded for Muscle Making Properties and Charms; English Style Cramps American Lady Champion

BY O. M. GREEN

(Editor, "North-China Daily News," 1911-1930)

London, Aug. 13.

Archery is definitely coming in again. The international tournament in which 80 men and women archers from eight different countries have been competing on the ground of the Honourable Artillery Company has brought to public notice its charms, its graces and its muscle-making properties, and we are well on the way to another turn of the wheel, and the same zest as when, in Miss Edgeworth's days, Lady Diana Sweepstakes led the archery contest on the windy downs by Clifton, and poor Hal fell in the mud and stained his green-and-white uniform all red.

It is a sad thought that in England, whose arrows darkened the sun at Crecy, archery has so much fallen into disuse. There are but 1,000 archers in all England while Belgium is credited with nearly 50,000, and in America there are said to be millions. Of course the tournament has produced an American lady champion, wearing a Lincoln green Robin Hood hat with a white plume, and boasting all sorts of new dodges for finding the "gold" (the centre of the target) every time. But she complains that the English are too conservative because she is not allowed to use sights on her bow; and this has cramped her style.

Lady Archers

Besides the American lady there are archers from Belgium, France, Poland, Czecho-Slovakia, Norway, Sweden, and one Swiss representative. Obviously the H.A.C. ground is the right meeting place, for at the beginning this ancient regiment was known as the fraternity of artillery of longbows, crossbows and handguns, licensed to shoot at "all manner of marks or butts, at heron, or pheasant or other game." There are no pheasants in Finsbury now (not even in the shops) and it was strange to hear the twang of bow and the pleasing "plonk" of arrows landing in targets while all round us buses grunted and trams clanged and the city went on grubbing for money.

If any of the ancient bowmen's ghosts were looking on they must have felt contemptuous, for the longest range today is less than half that at which they shot. There is a story of a Turkish Ambassador to London, who went to see an archery club practising in Bedford Square. "You can't shoot properly in here," he exclaimed with scorn. And taking a bow he went out into the adjoining street and proceeded to discharge arrows up to a quarter of a mile. What happened to the traffic and what the police did is not recorded. But Ambassadors are privileged.

A "York Round"

Yet if anyone thinks that archery is an easy sport, he errs grievously. Let him try a "York round," which means shooting six dozen arrows at 100 yds., four dozen at 80 yds. and two dozen at 60 yds., with a walk between the targets after every three arrows. Even a "Hereford round," which is for women—the same number of arrows but 80 yds. the greatest distance—is heavy work for the untrained. To draw the strongest bow to its full extent means a pull of about 60 lb. Most people are satisfied with a 45 lb. bow.

The best bows are still made of English yew; but bows are also made of steel. It sounds like heresy. Yet did not the Trojans use steel bows? And in the Middle Ages steel crossbows, drawn by means of chain and handle were common. But "the long-bow had ever the uppermost." Arrows, it is interesting to observe, are still measured by their weight in silver coins, a 4-6 weighing four shillings and sixpence and a 3-3 three shillings and a three penny bit.

Shot Disgracefully

Since gunpowder was first used in battle—was it at Poitiers? My memories from school are vague—English Kings repeatedly strove to keep archery alive. Edward III ordained that all his subjects must practise it constantly and must not "after any manner apply themselves to the throwing of stones, wood, or iron, handball, football, bandyball, cambuck, cockfighting, nor such like vain plays, which have no profit in them." That lovely romance of Stevenson's "The Black Arrow" shows how effective archery was in the Wars of the Roses. Henry VIII organized a tournament at Windsor and dubbed the best archer "Duke of Shoreditch," from which all captains of City of London archers were called by the same title. Arrows were used at Flodden. Queen Elizabeth encouraged archery, and Charles II held a tournament, when there was a big turnout of archers but they shot disgracefully. After that one hears little more of archery till the days of Lady Diana Sweepstakes.

No Betting!

It is a common place that a company of English archers of the Crecy stamp would have been infinitely more dangerous than all the guns at Waterloo. Not only could they shoot with the deadliest precision at more than twice the range of the old muskets, but the extraordinary speed with which they discharged their arrows might have spread panic even in the Old Guard. The thought suggests itself, What if companies of archers were formed against the next war? For certain work they might be invaluable, and the silence of their shooting would make it impossible to say whence the arrows came. Would the Hague conventions rule them out? Arrows are far less hateful than high explosives.

But for the moment there are no such thoughts at the H.A.C. ground at Finsbury, only keen contest and good fellowship. There is as yet no professionalism in archery, no betting, no "stars". Any archer is ready to give another the benefit of his experience, and if anyone scores three "golds" in succession (about as rare that, as for a golfer to hole out in one) the whole fraternity rejoice as if they had done it themselves.

Claudette Colbert has started work in "Zaza" with George Cukor handling the megaphone and Herbert Marshall as her leading man. Claudette likes the role and one can readily see she will give an excellent portrayal. Bill Wellman is finishing up "Men With Wings" with Ray Milland and Fred MacMurray. Louise Campbell, who is the girl in the case, will no doubt be a star after this one.

British Labour M.P. Appeals to Reich

Open Letter Invites Berlin To Eschew Use of Force

London, Sept. 7.

The German nation is invited to renounce bellicose methods and to negotiate a settlement of European questions through amicable discussions,, in an open letter published in "The Star" today.

The letter is signed by Mr. Herbert Morrison, head of the London County Council and Labour constituent for South Hackney.

Dealing with possibilities of an eventual conflict on the Continent, Mr. Morrison writes, "My personal opinion is that Germany would lose again because the balance of world opinion and the potential of economic and military power against your Government today is much heavier than in 1914.

"But I do not stress this, for disaster would be the lot of all of us. The price of victory would be so great that the victor would also be vanquished. There is no need that the victor would also be vanquished. There is no problem facing Europe which it is not possible to solve by honest and friendly discussion," the Labour M.P. concludes.—Havas.

Prince Konoye's Views Interest Washington

Friendly Feeling Towards U.S. Specially Noted

Washington, Sept. 6.

Official and private authorities were impressed here today by the interview granted Mr. John R. Morris of the United Press by Prince Fumimaro Konoye, Japanese Premier, because of the friendly feeling shown toward the United States and because it appeared to refute the widespread rumours that Japan intends to abandon her China campaign after the capture of Hankow.

Officials here refused to make formal comment, however, on the grounds that the interview was an unofficial exposition of Japan's position.—United Press.

BRITISH naval authorities announced in Gibraltar that for reasons of health it had been decided to relax somewhat the regulations imposed upon the crew of the Spanish Republican destroyer Jose Luis Diez which sought shelter in Gibraltar waters after being disabled in a Nationalist attack. The new regulations will permit members of the Spanish warship's crew to land for football games on the British Navy football grounds.

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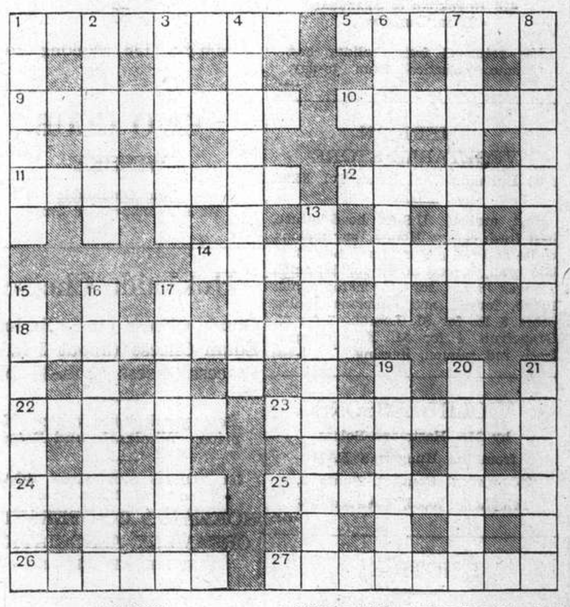

ACROSS

1 A game companion
5 Difficult bit of music?
9 Chief points of the compass
10 N.B. of old, classically new in the New World
11 Not one of the fleet
12 A wine
14 Not the best position for seeing the spectacle, please realise
18 Police "tecs" can make it
22 Its presence may be a sweeping condemnation of the domestic
23 Were I to go his place of service would remain
24 A relative of the guinea-pig
25 A militant brush
26 Snare
27 Quite a parliamentary observation (two words)

DOWN

1 Reference with relish to a mischievous child?
2 Study A.R.P. and be less this of the last part
3 Against Bradman anyone is glad to have this over
4 An association with striking possibilities (two words)
6 This kind of situation may be too serious to make one laugh
7 Epithet for some of our modern ways, perhaps
8 One of the minor ups and downs at the seaside (two words)
13 It grows in the sea or on land
15 Protection that sounds like the usual assistance
16 This apartment is a social centre (two words)
17 This stuff is certainly the most suitable in a call for help
19 Hardly a suitable present to a blind man
20 This may enable Tommy to escape from his private beginning
21 He once pulled strings to other people's discomfiture

Current Films

NANKING.—"Mannequin."—An up-to-the-minute modern romantic comedy of two people seeking happiness with the world against them. Co-starring Joan Crawford, Spencer Tracy, Ralph Morgan; with Alan Curtis, Mary Phillips, Oscar Shea and Elizabeth Risdon in support. Opens today.

GRAND.—"Always Goodbye."—Barbara Stanwyck, Herbert Marshall and Ian Hunter in a vivid and gripping drama of conflicting loves, superbly staged and powerfully portrayed. A fine supporting cast includes Cesar Romero, Lynn Bari, Binnie Barnes, Franklyn Pangborn, Ben Welden and Hollywood's latest child star, little Johnny Russell. Opens today.

CATHAY.—"Three Blind Mice."—Gaiety, Glamour, Sparkle, Romance as three lovely sisters come into a legacy and leave the Old Homestead in search of husbands. With Loretta Young, Joel McCrea, David Niven, Stuart Erwin, Marjorie Weaver, Pauline Moore, Binnie Barnes and Jane Darwell.

PARIS.—"Angel."—Marlene Dietrich and Herbert Marshall in delightful comedy, supported by Melvyn Douglas, E. E. Horton and Laura Hope Crews.

RIALTO.—"Daughter of Shanghai."—Chills and thrills galore as a little Chinese girl faces death to burst America's cruellest racket. With Anna Way Wong.

Films Coming

"Penrod's Double Trouble."—Thrills and spills once more for Penrod Schofield, when he gets Shanghaied in a captive balloon and presents his parents with his double. Starring the Mauch Twins, Dick Purcel, Gene and Kathleen Lockhart and the gang. Coming to the **CATHAY.**

"The Amazing Dr. Clitterhouse."—Something new at last in gangster films! Interest in criminology starts a well known social doctor on a career of crime that rakes him to underworld depths and ends in a trial that is thrilling and bizarre. With Edward G. Robinson, Claire Trevor, Humphry Bogart, Allen Jenkins, Donald Crisp and Gale Page. Coming to the **GRAND.**

"Goodbye Broadway."—Fun waxes fast and furious when an old-time vaudeville dance team sink their few dollars in a small-town hotel and start playing providence to budding stars. With Alice Brady and Charles Winninger, Tommy Riggs, Frank Jenks, Tom Brown, and Dorothea Kent. Coming to the **CATHAY.**

"My Bill."—Screen version of the well-known stage-play "Courage," with Kay Francis in her most appealing role as the mother of three ungrateful children and little Dickie Moore, who steals right into one's heart as the little laddie who fights for her happiness. With Kay Francis, John Litel, Anita Louise, Bonita Granville, Bobbie Jordan, Elisabeth Risden and Dickie Moore. Coming to the **NANKING.**

"Little Miss Thoroughbred."—When a smart-alec of the racetracks claims a cute kiddie from the orphanage as his daughter, he starts a sequence of laugh and thrill-packed adventures that lead to respectability and marriage. With John Litel, Ann Sheridan, Frank McHugh and little Janet Chapman. Coming to the **GRAND.**

"The Rage of Paris."—Broke to the world and without a job, Nicole was willing to try anything—well nearly anything. Her escapades as she struggles for security and a husband make hilarious and very human entertainment. With Danielle Darrieux, and a great supporting cast including Douglas Fairbanks, jun., Mischa Auer, Louis Hayward, Helen Broderick, Charles Coleman and Harry Davenport. Soon at the **CATHAY.**

"I'll Give a Million."—The sad, sad story of a disillusioned millionaire who promises $1,000,000 to the first person who loves him for himself and starts a riot that disrupts the Riviera. With Warner Baxter, Marjorie Weaver, Peter Lorre, Jean Hersholt, John Carradine, Lynn Bari, J. Edward Bromberg and Fritz Feld. Coming to the **GRAND.**

"My Dear Miss Aldrich."—The tale of a country school teacher who inherits a big city newspaper and determines to run it herself—with results that have to be seen to be believed. With Edna May Oliver, Maureen O'Sullivan, Walter Pidgeon, Rita Johnson and Janet Beecher. Coming to the **NANKING.**

"Of Human Hearts."—Tense human drama, relieved by deft comedy touches, marks this tempestuous tale of Ohio in pre-Civil War days. The powerful cast is headed by Walter Huston, James Stewart, Beulah Bondi, Guy Kibbee, Charles Coburn and John Carradine. Coming to the **NANKING.**

"You Live Only Once."—Sylvia Sidney and Henry Fonda in romantic drama, supported by Barton MacLane, Jean Dixon, William Gargan and Chic Sale. Coming to the **PARIS.**

Fish and Chips Night

Catering both to civilians and servicemen, the Majestic Ballroom with what is stated to be the largest staff of dance hostesses in Shanghai, plus one of the city's largest dance floors, is enjoying near-capacity crowds almost every night. Tomorrow night will be Fish and Chips Night, with the dish served to patrons all evening, free of charge. Monday night is Hot Dog Night. These special nights, introduced by the new manager, Mr. Stanley Roberts, are meeting with the approval of patrons.

Paramount Spot Dances

Spot dances, for which winners will receive merchandise prizes, will be a feature at the air-cooled Paramount Ballroom tonight. Spot dances are held every Tuesday and every Thursday night. Patrons of the ballroom who on recent nights have found some difficulty in obtaining a table, due to the large attendance, are reminded that the ballroom has a large, comfortable balcony with its own dance floor. On Sunday there will be a tea dance with special entertainment.

FROM SHANGHAI FOOTLIGHTS AND FILMS

"Mannequin"

Starred players at the Nanking Theatre today are Spencer Tracy and Joan Crawford, who are supported by Ralph Morgan, Alan Curtis, Mary Phillips and Elisabeth Risdon.

"The Amazing Dr. Clitterhouse"

Coming shortly to the Grand Theatre, this picture stars Edward G. Robinson, with whom are associated Claire Trevor, Allen Jenkins, Humphrey Bogart, Donald Crisp and Gale Page.

"My Dear Miss Aldrich"

Coming soon to the Nanking Theatre is this pictorial review of a country school-teacher's romance in a big town—with Maureen O'Sullivan, Edna May Oliver and Walter Pidgeon.

"Goodbye Broadway"

This forthcoming production at the Cathay Theatre has for its featured players Charles Winninger and Alice Brady, while among the supporters are Tom Brown and Dorothea Kent.

To Dine and Dance

AMBASSADOR.—Cabaret. Nick Korin's orchestra.

ARCADIA.—Dining and dancing. Russian cuisine. Kniazeff's ballet. Garden open.

CASANOVA.—Apollo's Gauchos

CATHAY RESTAURANT.—8th floor.—luncheons.

CATHAY HOTEL LOUNGE.—Morning and afternoon tea and cocktails.

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JESSFIELD CLUB.—Dining and dancing in the summer garden. Boder and Bulmer entertaining.

KAVKAZ.—Russian cuisine. Dining and dancing. Floor show.

MAJESTIC.—Cabaret. Lundstrem's orchestra.

MASKEE CLUB.—*A la carte* and dancing. Sellers, Kirkor and Ardatoff entertaining.

MAYFAIR.—Cabaret and cocktail bar. Entertainment.

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France v. America

Although Hollywood still maintains the lead in film production and, to a large extent, swamps the markets of the world, there is a rival growing in France. Although there is from time to time a great deal of talk about the progress of English studios, the English output does not seem likely to be anything more than a reflection of Hollywood standard, and the new invasion of England by American producing companies seems conducive of a further standardization.

But the French films are "another pair of sleeves" as the French themselves would say. Germany and Russia are dominated by politics, although good work is still being done in their studios. France is subject to no such disqualifications. The only thing which controls the French studios is French intelligence with the assistance of their innate artistic sensibility. The consequence is that French films are beginning to invade studios everywhere.

Language handicaps are being overcome by dubbing. Miss Elsie Cohen, who is a growing power in the London cinema world is having English dialogue dubbed on to some of the best French films. The first of these is "Le Roman d'un Tricher" with Sacha Guitry as the star. The second will be "Le Roi S'Amuse" in which the celebrated French actor Raimu plays the leading part.

This is a much better arrangement than re-making French films with French and American casts. One has only to remember the sad downfall of "Episode", when it was re-made in Hollywood with William Powell and Louise Rainer in the chief parts. To see undiluted French cinema art will be an education for the whole film-going public.

Two years ago, a Crosby colt named "Fight On" won a race at Santa Anita and paid approximately $165 for a $2 ticket. In the race, it was learned, "Fight On" threw one of his shoes. Crosby found the shoe and always carries it to the sound stage for the opening of work on a new picture.

Aviators Now Rajahs Of Recklessness

Reports Superseded in Roles of Danger

For almost a decade now, the favourite character of Hollywood's producers, in their quest to satisfy the audience thirst for escapist pictures, has been that sturdy standby, the newspaper reporter.

Audiences demanded someone not too far removed from their own lives, living in their own surroundings, who would nevertheless live recklessly, wildly, heroically. They could identify themselves with him—for did he not ride the same street cars, use the same telephones, dine in the same nightclubs as they?—and thus enjoy his adventures vicariously and escape the humdrum of daily existence.

The old king is dead, long live the new. The screen's producers definitely have set up on the throne the new Emir of Escape. In all sorts of situations you will be seeing him for a long time now, perhaps for as long as the newspaperman has reigned, which is ever since "Front Page" burst on a delighted public which sat back and viewed itself as Hildy Johnson doing dangerous things instead of selling insurance or whatever else the ordinary daily routine was.

New Trend

The new dispenser of danger and admiral of adventure in Hollywood is the air-man. You will recognize him as the pilot, as the weather-man, as the navigator, as the tester, as the builder, as the commander, as the maintenance-expert, or the Navy or Army or private man of the planes. For pictureland has at last seized on him as the perfect new protagonist of escape. He is like you and me, and we can identify ourselves with him, yet he lives dangerously, lives gaily, meets conflict hourly.

Leading off the procession by making it the first picture on its 1938-39 season is RKO Radio with its airman picture, "Sky Giant," starring Richard Dix, Chester Morris and Joan Fontaine, which your correspondent was privileged to view in the projection room last week just before its preview. True to our deductions, the airman's daily life is chronicled, with emphasis on adventure and excitement, yet with careful discretion not to deify him nor remove him from the common touch.

Sternly Honest

The picture, like all of the air films Hollywood is currently producing, is sternly honest. "Sky Giant," however, is concerned with the difficulties met by the big business of commercial flying today in its efforts to get personnel that meet its stringently high requirements. The picture capitalizes on the pioneering efforts now going on to set up a round-the-world commercial route across the Polar Caps instead of around the equator. Timed to appear on the heels of the tremendous Howard Hughes accomplishment, "Sky Giant" may prove another "Cimarron" for Richard Dix. But in any case Hollywood's news air cycle will bring the public a new Emir of Escape—the air-man who flies through the air with the greatest of ease.

Two Pianos Featured

One of Shanghai's favourite night spots, Jessfield Club, recently innovated the feature of piano duets after midnight and the playing of Ed Boder and George Roth is said be highly entertaining and pleasing to both listeners and dancers. Both are talented musicians and their piano playing has received much praise from patrons. Prior to midnight, Border plays the piano himself. Johnny Bulmer, drummer, is master of ceremonies in this cozy night club. He also plays the trap drums and puts on skits, adding much to the general enjoyment.

The Jessfield Club is air-conditioned, although there is a small but lovely garden for persons desiring the outdoors. There are two dance floors and a cocktail lounge-barroom where three youthful and pretty girls act as hostesses. The Jessfield Club is foreign owned and managed and service is of the highest order. It is the speciality of the Jessfield Club to please its patrons and their requests for special music are welcome, both pianists playing classical and jazz music with the same ability.

Wee Golf Popular

The coming of slightly cooler weather, has brought a new popularity to the Pavillion Cafe and Amusement Centre, this being specially true of the wee golf course and the outdoor dance floor. On a recent night more than 800 rounds of golf were played. Tonight's special dishes will be chop suey and chow mein. Tuesday night will be Wee Golf Bank Night, an occasion on which a handsome cash prize of $100 or more is drawn at 11.30 o'clock. Concerts are given every afternoon from 4.30 o'clock. Dinner dances start at 3 o'clock with music by Nina Kellan's American orchestra.

French Star in Hollywood

Olympe Bradna, youthful French player now making a name for herself in America, poses for the camera just before the close of the holiday season.

Mickey Still Alive

There was an idea going about that the enormous success of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" would encourage Walt Disney to make nothing but long films in the future. That rumour, like so many others in the film world, has been dispelled by Disney himself. He has stated definitely that each year he will make one long picture and eighteen shorts. Thus, whatever may happen to "Alice and Wonderland," Mickey and Donald and the Silly Symphony will continue their rapid delight in the large majority of cinema programmes.

Irene Dunne, who usually appears in her pictures as a very rich woman, will be poor but honest in the epic now being prepared for her by Ace Director Leo McCarey. Her opposite—Charles Boyer—compensates for Irene's lack of dollars, is very wealthy, and, of course, ends up by sharing his bank balance with Miss Dunne. The story, described as a romantic drama, is at present untitled and is McCarey's first on his new producer director ticket for RKO-Radio.

Mothers' Hidden Cinema Roles

Screen Careers of Stars Guided by Parents; Own Ambitions Frustrated

Consider the careers of Hollywood's "mother-made stars," whose ranks include Ginger Rogers, Anne Shirley, Anita Louise, Olympe Bradna, Tyrone Power, Marx brothers, Shirley Temple, June Lang and Irene Dare, and you must agree that "mother knows best"—at least in the film town.

These are a few of the more outstanding cinema celebrities whose careers were largely shaped by mothers acting as coaches, counsellors, business agents and managers.

Some movie mothers have stood quietly in the background, advising, encouraging, manipulating a string here, making a move there to further the offspring's career. Others have taken over the exacting chores of negotiating contracts, instigating publicity, fending off romances.

Anyone familiar with the Hollywood scene knows that most of these mothers have realized their own frustrated ambitions in the successful careers of their children.

Mrs. Lela Rogers, mother of Ginger, whom RKO Radio has just reunited with Fred Astaire in "Carefree," gave up her own career to further her red-headed daughter's. She was society and drama editor of the Fort Worth "Record" when Ginger won the Charleston contest which catapulted her, by consecutive impulses, into vaudeville, the New York stage, pictures and stardom.

When Ginger started her theatrical career Mrs. Rogers accompanied her as manager, chaperon and adviser. Not until Ginger was established as a top-flight star did Mrs. Rogers resume her own career.

Mother of Marxes Called Greatest

Of the Marx brothers, it has been said that the greatest of the Marxes was Minna, their mother, daughter of a musician who toured Europe in a waggon for 50 years, at each stop giving demonstrations in legerdemain while her mother played the harp. Minna came to New York, worked in lace and fur factories and married Samuel Marx, east-side tailor who had crossed from Alsace. To them were born five sons (named by a vaudeville monologist), Chico, Groucho, Harpo, Gummo and Zeppo. She dedicated her life to training them for the stage—became their gag writer and business agent.

As fast as one was old enough to go on the stage their mother prepared a place for him, wrote material and organized the acts in which they appeared. Gummo and Zeppo have now gone into other business, but the three others are carrying on the matriarchal tradition in their current RKO Radio production "Room Service," acquired from the New York stage for their special talents.

One of Hollywood's classics is the mutual devotion of Anne Shirley, currently appearing in "Mother Carey's Chickens," and her mother. For twelve years Mrs. Mimi Shirley, determined that she would establish her child as a star, fought the Hollywood battle against the well-known astronomical odds. Often the two went hungry, living under the shadow of eviction in tiny, shabby apartments. Even when they had a streak of comparative good times they limited themselves to a budget of $10 a week. When Anne was selected as star of "Anne of Green Gables" the long grind was over. The Shirleys have been in the chips ever since.

Ninon and Leonie

The new floor show at the Casanova Ballroom is headed by the ballroom dancers, Ninon and Leonie, who will appear nightly for a brief period. The present engagement marks their second at the cabaret. The Casanova, due to the fact that it has permission to remain open all night, is now catering to a late crowd which frequently remains until closing time at 5 a.m. The ballroom is air-conditioned. Music for dancing is furnished by Apollo's Gauchos.

Simone Simon Walks Out

Things in Hollywood were not working so smoothly for Simone Simon. One gathers that she took with her across the Atlantic a tempestuous temperament. In her case, American directors showed once more that they did not know how to make the best use of European Actresses. Mlle. Simon's first Hollywood adventures were not happy and the recent discovery of her charming singing voice in "Love and Hisses" did not compensate for her earlier mis-handling.

"Josette" which she made after "Love and Hisses" has enabled her to improve her position as a singer, but it has not satisfied her. She declares that she has left America for good and all. One knows that these final declarations of film stars are not always so final as they seem. One would not be at all surprised to see this charming French actress back with another producing company, or, perhaps, even the same one.

Wrong Publicity

Hollywood goes on licking its wounds and is still trying to find out why the trade is in a bad way. They have called in experts for advice and one of these has expressed the opinion that the publicity methods are all wrong. The public, he believes, is growing tired of trivial tales about the stars. It is no longer a matter of vital interest to learn where this, that or the other idol has its food or what it eats. Even the news that Miss So-and-So is believed to be "that way" with Such-and-Such-An-One no longer excites the masses.

Publicity has been too much concentrated round personality. According to the expert in question, the public wants to know more about the pictures and the stories and less about the stars. This may be true as is shown by the frequent outstanding success of a picture in which the foremost stars have had no part. The success of French films in almost every place is another witness to this. In their case the play—or the picture—has been the thing.

Annabella Very Busy

The French Actresses captured by Hollywood recently are providing producers and directors with not a little excitement. So far, Annabella appears to be quite pleased with her new work, but she will not leave France altogether. Just now she is back in Paris, but only to pack up the most of her belongings and transfer them to her new home in California. But in Paris she will undertake one or two professional jobs, including the "dubbing" with French dialogue of "The Baroness and The Butler" previous to its being shown in Paris.

In France she will also make another picture with Jean Gabin. Indeed, it is understood that Hollywood will permit her to make occasional films in her native country. In addition, it is understood that she will star in an English studio. If she fulfills this engagement and returns, according to her present plans, to Hollywood in October, she will have to be very busy indeed and exercise a full measure of her characteristic vitality.

Eddie G. Robinson, jun., was on the set when his father had to shoot three gangsters. 'My daddy does that all the time," said the youngster proudly.

Kenny Baker Can Sing

One's fears that the role of Nanki Poo in "The Mikado" may turn out a mere travesty on the screen are allayed on learning that Kenny Baker is not merely a crooner. He can really sing, although he appeared as a crooner in the Goldwyn Follies. He is enjoying the opportunity to make the most of Sullivan's music and, thanks to gramophone records, has been able to study his leading predecessors in the part.

Not infrequently one has a suspicion that a crooner is really a singer who has yielded to popular pressure. When one considers that the crooner is accepted as nothing more than a bad joke, it is difficult to understand his persistence.

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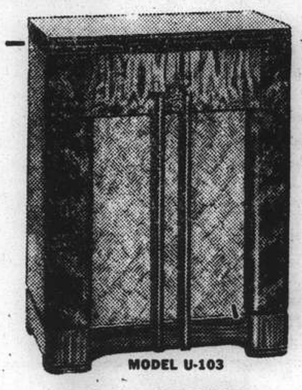

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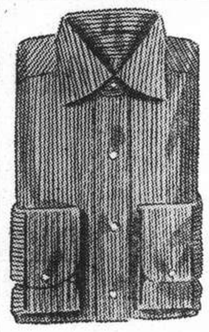

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THE LAST OFFER?

Failure of Herr Hitler to make any specific reference to the Czechoslovakian crisis, in his declaration at Nuremberg on Tuesday may have come as a disappointment to many, but was not entirely unexpected. It does not mean that Der Fuehrer is taking no interest in the matter, or that in the ultimate result his voice will not be largely heard. He is still to be recognized as the mainspring of the Sudeten German agitation, and the cause for the adamant stubbornness with which Herr Henlein's party persist in adhering to their original demands without any modification up to the present. It was in all probability the announcement of further concessions on the part of the Czechoslovakian Government which had some effect in deciding when Herr Hitler would make his anxiously awaited statement, though, in all fairness, there has really been nothing to suggest that he would at any time during the Nuremberg conference make any reference to the crisis, and the meeting may still pass without him doing so. On the other hand it may not be inapropos to consider the technique which is being applied. While it may be true that the manœuvres which are now being held in Germany were undertaken in the ordinary course of things, there will not be the slightest doubt in world public opinion that the enormous bodies of men involved, and the timing have a direct connection with the Czechoslovakian crisis. They were designed to bring the greatest possible pressure upon the Czechs, and, perhaps, France and Great Britain to force the complete surrender which Herr Henlein has in fact consistently demanded. The arrival of Lord Runciman to make a study of the question, and the activities in which he has since been engaged, have undoubtedly had the result of modifying the outlook of the Czechoslovakian Government, and to a large extent that change must be attributed to the mollifying influences which the British statesman has been able to bring to bear on a considerably exacerbated situation.

The Czechoslovakian Government's proposals, details of which are published today in another column, are held almost completely to satisfy Herr Henlein's demands. They do not entirely do so, and it was never to be expected that they would, for, if they did, it would be tantamount to a surrender of the functions of government by Dr. Hodza, and an abnegation of constitutional rights. Probably the most important concession is that which provides for the creation of an equality of national status on the basis of national autonomy, by the introduction of the system of cantons, whereby Germans would enjoy self-government within territories with a German majority, though this, the Government suggests, should be accompanied by effective guarantees of the integrity of the frontier and unity of the state. Adequate protection of Germans in territories where they are not in the majority is amply provided for in the rest of the suggested provisions. They do not as reported appear to give the Sudeten Germans that equality in state matters which, while it was not actually demanded in the Carlsbad declaration, has been referred to by Sudeten leaders on occasion since, but it is apparent that even in this respect the principle of proportional employment of officials according to population goes some distance towards satisfying requirements. Nevertheless taking the concession as a whole it is difficult to see how much further the Czechoslovakian Government could have gone without the complete surrender which it is apparent the Government, in face of Czechoslovakian public opinion, dares not make. What then is Herr Hitler's position? If by his silence, and the eloquent pressure of the massed forces in Germany he hopes to bring about even a greater change in the government's attitude he is likely to be disapppointed. It is not to be assumed that what has been done is wholly the result of that pressure, for both France and Great Britain have been using powerful influence with Prague. They have succeeded in inducing Dr. Hodza to go so far towards a compromise that it appears but a small step for the Sudeten Germans now to meet him.

If it is going to be true in this instance that appetite grows with eating, there is a grave danger that this latest development instead of tending towards an early peaceful settlement of the whole affair, may either see it postponed while even more concessions are sought, or continue that state of tension in which anything might happen. It has not been an easy task to persuade Dr. Hodza to go as far as he already has; it will be even more difficult to induce him to go further, for behind him are the Czechs, and at least a substantial portion of the Slovaks, who are likely to be resentful of any further concessions which might savour of humiliation. There is every reason now for suggesting that the issue is squarely before Herren Hitler and Henlein, and more particularly upon the former does the responsibility of deciding what is to be the future course of events. If now it is impossible to effect a compromise, it will be because it never has been possible, and was never contemplated as a probable settlement of the issue. That can be the only conclusion to be drawn in view of the history of the last few weeks, and if for the moment the doctrine of the *fait accompli* has had to be abandoned in view of the Anglo-French stand, it would appear that the newer technique consists of maintaining such an atmosphere of anxiety and uncertainty that the situation will eventually become intolerable. The danger lies not so much in Herr Hitler's silence, nor the stubborn intransigeance of the Sudeten Germans, so stubborn that it is difficult to believe a settlement other than complete surrender will ever prove acceptable, but in the enormous amount of pressure that the threat of somewhere in the neighbourhood of 2,000,000 men under arms in Germany must of necessity exert. It is, of course, one of those paradoxes of this very strange present day world that nations sincerely desiring peace, should resort to the silent threat of war for the purpose of achieving their ends. Nevertheless, as the result of a combination of pressure, and the good offices of France and Great Britain, a considerable distance has been gone towards satisfying the proper aspirations of the Sudeten Germans, and the two western European Powers concerned will have nothing to reproach themselves with if, even now, matters take a turn for the worse.

High Finance

The thoroughness with which the Japanese are obtaining control of trade in Shantung is evidenced by the number of monopolies which this journal understands is being created by the Japanese in Tsingtao. Up to the present they have secured monopolies of the harbour lighterage, bus service, telephones, telegraphs, waterworks and electric power, the slaughter house, coolie labour at the wharves, the measurement of cargo, flour mills, railway traffic, in the shape of transportation companies, hides, cattle, currency and exchange, coal, newspapers, cotton mills and Chinese hotels. In some instances the Japanese have bought themselves into the undertakings they now control, and in this connection an interesting story is told of the financial manipulation which enabled the Japanese to purchase a controlling interest in a factory without laying out any money at all. With the assistance of the Japanese authorities the Chinese factory in question was valued, including stocks, etc., the valuation being exceptionally low. The Japanese undertook to pay for a 55 per cent. interest in the concern. That was some seven or eight months ago. Quite recently the half yearly accounts were made up for the purpose of assessing profits, and it was found that the Japanese share was something under $200,000, which they now wish to turn in as part payment for the control they are purchasing. It is confidently expected that in the course of a few more months the Japanese share will be paid for in full, if the concern continues to make profits to the same extent. What would have happened if the half year's trading had resulted in a loss is by no means certain, though the probability seems to be that the Japanese would have sold their share back to the original Chinese owners, thereby making a profit either way. An ingenious scheme framed along these lines may yet assist Japan to develop her gains in China without the aid of foreign finance the desirability of which has been so often hinted.

Football Pools

With the opening of the English football season the country's greatest financial speculation in sport has also commenced, but sober caution this season has modified the scale of dividends for the football pool business is reaching saturation point. In past seasons dividends as high as £30,000 have been paid to lucky forecasters of a single Saturday afternoon's matches, but the operators have decided to scale down the dividends to ensure a wider distribution of the colossal sum of money invested weekly. The highest dividend available in a pool which formerly paid £30,000 will not exceed £14,000 with a diminishing scale according to the size of the other pools. This will benefit the steady forecaster who studies form at the expense of the lucky punter who selects blindly and wins by fluke. This system will also entail a reduction in the number of matches on the list in order to enable skill to operate, according to the operators. Of course, it is a matter of opinion whether it is skill or just mere luck. If teams play to form the consistent follower ought to be able to strike somewhere near the correct results, but football, like other games and enterprises, is full of surprises and the element of luck must predominate otherwise the highly-expert and experienced sports editors of the London newspapers could wreck the business at one fell swoop, but it has not worked that way yet nor have the pools lost their popularity. It is estimated that during a season of 36 weeks a total of £40,000,000 is invested and the General Post Office benefits to the extent of £3,000,000 in postage and postal order charges. Worked on a basis of 15 per cent. for expenses and five per cent. profit this gives the promoters a combined profit of £2,000,000. The two largest pools operated at Liverpool have transformed the post office there to a sorting and distribution centre of gigantic proportions for the city's ordinary volume of 1,000,000 letters a week increases to 9,000,000 during the football season. Legally, in a country which eschews gambling in any form with an exception of direct bets on the racecourse, the pool business remains where it was—in a quandary—but as the workingman's incursion into high finance of a speculative character the pools are likely to stay.

Holidays With Pay

Holidays with pay are now a legal reality for a great number of British workers. The Holidays with Pay Bill was passed in the House of Commons on July 22. More than 8,000,000 workpeople in Great Britain already receive holidays with pay; now, as a result of the legislation laid down by the new Bill, more than 2,000,000 additional workers are entitled to holidays with pay. These 2,000,000 workers affected by the Bill are employed under wage-regulating authorities such as Trade Boards—of which there are 47, covering large and small industries—and Agricultural Wages Committees. The Bill is an enabling measure rather than a compulsory one, and leaves the actual arrangements for holidays to the discretion of the authorities concerned. The period for a holiday with pay laid down by the Bill is not more than one week, exclusive of any holiday or half-holidays to which a worker is entitled under any other enactment. No provision is made in the Bill for domestic servants—the majority of whom already receive holidays with pay—because it is considered that this class of workers would be more appropriately dealt with in the general legislation which will follow later if required. Such general legislation will be considered in 1940, when the programmes arranged as a result of the present Bill will be reviewed. It is expected, however, that during the intervening period voluntary agreements will have covered most of the field. The number of such voluntary agreements is rapidly increasing. Today it is estimated that about 3,750,000 wage-earners are covered by voluntary agreements, as compared with some 1,500,000 about a year ago.

IN PARENTHESIS

You too

MOST people can remember all the details of a joke, except the names of the people they've already told it to.

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Drinks on Him

"WELL, well," remarked Jones, reading from his newspaper, "that's odd. A Scotsman run over by a brewery wagon!"

"What's odd about that?" asked Mrs. Jones.

"I should think it's the first time the drinks have been on him."

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Plane and a Jane

"WHEN I was a lad," said grandfather, "my great ambition was to have a gig and a gal."

"And when I was a boy," said father, "I wanted a flivver and a flapper."

"And I," said the son, "want a 'plane and a jane."

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Terrible

"YOU know," said Brown, "these garage men certainly do ruin a car."

"Why?" asked Green. "What's the matter?"

"Well, my car used to do seventy miles an hour. Then I had a new speedometer put in her, and now I can only get fifty-five out of her."

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Knew too Much

A LAD was being interviewed for a job as an office boy.

"Do you think you know enough to be useful in this office?" asked his prospective employer.

"Know enough?" ejaculated the boy. "Why, I left my last place because the boss said I knew too much."

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Labour Lost

BILLY was destined to be a great violinist—at least, so thought his mother.

But one evening, while he was practising on his fiddle, her husband stamped in from the garden and glared at his son.

"Why didn't you tell me that Billy was going to practise on his violin tonight?" he demanded wrathfully. "I've spent half an hour oiling the gate."

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"Sapphire's" Retort

AN officer was giving a squad of recruits a few hints on what to do when they got into the fighting-line.

"You," he said to "Sapphire" Green, who was as rough in speech as he was in looks. "What would you do if an enemy lunged at you with a bayonet?"

"Stick him," said "Sapphire."

"Yes, I know—but how?"

"Parry, and sock him with me skewer," said "Sapphire."

"Don't you know how to say 'sir'?"

"Yes."

"Don't be afraid to say it, then," said the officer sarcastically. "Fear isn't a part of a soldier's make-up. Have you ever experienced fear?"

"No."

"No what?"

"No——fear," said "Sapphire."

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Senator Soaper Says—

WARS and world events continue to influence dress materials and styles, and all this plain speaking at Prague may lead to loud Czechs.

A thought here for all magazine artists, toiling on Christmas covers through the summer heat, and for city fathers, now scanning bids for snow removal.

"What," asks a noonday orator, "is more genuinely satisfying than a tie between father and son?" Two ties—if father wishes to be completely dressed.

We sneered at press shots from overseas, showing whole populations in gas masks. We didn't realize that over here a political campaign was getting ripe.

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Heard in the Court

COUNSEL: What was the cause of this quarrel?

Wife: My husband told me that he was to play cricket, so I tried to oil his clubs for him.

Housewife: I called to see her about a broom she had borrowed. She said she hadn't got it, and if I didn't clear off she would throw it at me.

Husband: My wife does her best to turn the children against me. Once I heard her telling them it was me who keeps them out of the workhouse.

Another Husband: I don't know what my wife means by "Two-faced." If she means I'm leading a double life it's not true; I don't have time.

Wife: I rang my husband up at the office. They told me he had gone out for ten minutes half an hour ago, and wouldn't be back for an hour.

Solicitor: "When you saw the man running were you not curious?" "Women are never curious."

Spouse: I always beat my wife when I get home after midnight—but only by about 20 minutes.

THE WEATHER

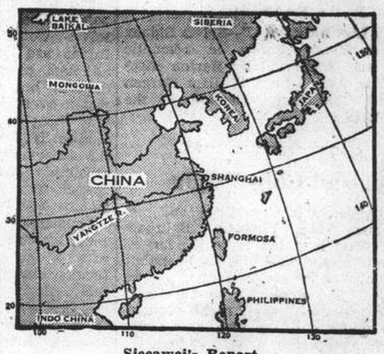
Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min.	75.0	Max.	88.0
Same date, 1937	Min.	80.5	Max.	94.5

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min.	67.6	Max.	88.9
Same date, 1937	Min.	78.6	Max.	95.7



Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 6th:—Anticyclone over northern and central China. The typhoon, over the Japan Sea, is continuing north-eastward. Northerly winds prevailing along the China Coast. Fine to cloudy weather in China.

State on the morning of the 7th:—Anticyclone over China. The typhoon, over Yezo, is continuing north-eastward.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine to cloudy weather with variable breezes the northern quadrant prevailing along the China Coast and at sea. N.B. The signal tower having been repaired, the time signal will be given again as usual at 11.55 and noon beginning tomorrow.—Siccawei Observatory.

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To the "N.C.D.N." Memorial Fund for Mr. Hsu Sing-loh:—

Louis Chevretton	$50.00
Sir Frederick Maze	$500.00

IN MEMORY OF MRS. B. BROOM

To the Royal Society of St. George:—

Mr. and Mrs. James Hay	$10.00

Czech Concessions to Sudetens Revealed

Generous Proposals Almost Wholly Comply With German Demands; Prague Now Hopeful Of Settlement; Berlin Not Yet Satisfied

Prague, Sept. 7.

THE atmosphere here is more hopeful following the Government's new concessions to the Sudeten Germans, which were explained yesterday to Herr Ernst Kundt, parliamentary representative of the Sudeten Party, by Mr. F. T. A. Ashton-Gwatkin, British Foreign Office Counsellor and a member of Lord Runciman's mission. Lord Runciman also took part in the talks, and it is gathered that the result was favourable.

Later, Herr Kundt, accompanied by Dr. Wilhelm Sebekowski, another prominent member of the Sudeten Party, was received by Dr. Eduard Benes, the Czech President. The two German delegates, it is understood, will now visit Dr. Milan Hodza, the Premier, with a view to discussing the question of a resumption of negotiations. It is denied that the Government has laid down a restriction regarding the profession of the doctrine of National Socialism.

The executive committee of the Social Democratic Party, one of the principal components of the Government bloc, has unanimously approved the decisions of the Cabinet on the subject of the new concessions to the Sudetens.

A wider degree of autonomy for the German minority than hitherto envisaged is contained in the nine chief points of the Government's new proposals, which will be laid before the Sudetens to enable a resumption of negotiations.

It is re-emphasized that the points almost completely satisfy the eight demands made by Herr Konrad Henlein, Leader of the Sudetens, at Carlsbad.

It is believed, therefore, that the Sudetens will have no difficulty in accepting them, although they may not be in a hurry to do so.

Nature of New Propsals

The Government's proposals are:—

1. Recommendation of the principle of proportional employment of officials according to population.
2. Employment of officials in districts of their own nationality.
3. Division of the security service between local and state police, so that local regions would have police of their own nationality.
4. A new linguistic law based on complete equality of language.
5. Assistance to industrial life in German districts most affected by the crisis, including a loan of 700,000,000 crowns on advantageous terms.
6. Creation of an equality of national status, on the basis of national autonomy, by the introduction of the system of gaue (cantons), whereby Germans would enjoy self-government within territories with a German majority.

Integrity of Frontiers

All questions not concerning national unity would be dealt with locally. Integrity of frontier and unity of state would be effectively guaranteed.

7. Special sections for cantons to be created in all central administrations, which would be run by nationals who would deal with matters affecting their own nationality.
8. The national right of citizens to be protected by special laws, and the elected representative of various nationalities in variable representative bodies would have the right of complaint against any interference with the rights or interest of their nationals. A special register would be established for each nationality.
9. Immediate steps to be taken to reach an agreement on those points which do not require legislation. The Government will prepare new laws in collaboration with the Sudeten Party.

The proposals will be laid before Parliament and will be enforced as quickly as possible. They will form a new Nationalities Statute, which will apply not only to Germans but also to all other nationalities.—Reuter.

Berlin Not Satisfied

Berlin, Sept. 7.

The new Czech proposals do not include the grant to the Sudetens of control of post office or police, it is learned.

Well-informed German circles also understand that the Czechs, while willing that the Sudetens should have Sudeten officials, are only prepared to withdraw the existing Czech officials very gradually over a number of years.

The German authorities do not feel that the Sudetens can accept the proposals as they stand, as they do not take into consideration three of the most important Sudeten demands.—Reuer.

Paris Press Sees Crisis

Paris, Sept. 7.

Press commentators emphasize that the Czech crisis is now reaching a crisis.

Mme. Genevieve Tabouis, well-known political commentator of "L'Œuvre," declares that foreign circles in Nuremberg believe that Herr Hitler is ready to reject the new Czech plan.

Until Monday, however, when the Fuehrer makes his big speech on foreign affairs, he wants to weigh minutely the conditions of his refusal, Mme. Tabouis states.

Particularly, she adds, does Herr Hitler want to put forward the principle of a plebiscite, "thinking thereby to retain the principle of proposing plebiscites in several European countries."

"L'Epoque" states that if arbitration comes later, "it must not be at the price of further concessions, otherwise the independence of Czechoslovakia would be no more than a fiction, and we should soon repent having opened the door to the invader."—Reuter.

German Press Comment Angrily

Berlin, Sept. 7.

The German press today passes angry comment on the new Czech plan.

The "Boersen Zeitung" states that the Czech concessions are worthless if they do not include police power and administrative rights for the Sudetens.—Reuter.

Parliamentary Crisis Possible

Prague, Sept. 7.

In connection with the new Czech proposals, Herr Ernst Kundt, Sudeten

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Sudeten Secession Solution Cited

Suggestion Made By "The Times" Leader; Czechs Strengthened

London, Sept. 7.

The secession of the Sudeten districts as a possible solution of the Czech problem is suggested in a leader in "The Times" today.

The article says that if the Sudetens now ask for more than the Czechoslovakia Government is apparently ready to give, it can only be inferred that the Germans are going beyond the mere removal of disabilities and do not find themselves at ease within the Czechoslovakia Republic.

In that case it might be worth while for the Czechoslovak Government to consider whether or not it should exclude altogether the project, which found favour in some quarters, of making Czechoslovakia a more homogeneous state by the secession of the Sudeten districts.

"The Times" adds that in any case the wishes of the population concerned would seem to be the decisively important element in any solution that can hope to be regarded as permanent.

Reuter's diplomatic correspondent learns that the suggestion in the London "Times" regarding secession of the Sudeten areas does not represent any British official views.—Reuter.

"Quite Unacceptable" Proposals

Nuremberg, Sept. 7.

Political circles here today rejected the Czech Government's new proposals to the Sudeten Germans, qualifying them as "quite unacceptable."—Havas.

Britain Told of French Precautions

All Envoys Also Ordered To Return to Posts

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Paris, Sept. 7.

M. Georges Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister, has formally informed the British Ambassador, Sir Eric Phipps, and the Czech Minister, Dr. Stefan Osusky, of the precautionary measures which France has taken on her Rhine frontier.

All French diplomatic representatives on furlough were today requested to return to their posts in view of the international situation and, whenever possible, to travel through Paris to receive instructions.

This followed instructions to all prefects, departmental officials and colonial governors to return to their duties, and the recall to the colours of all officers and men who are at present on long leave to Nancy, Metz, Strasbourg and points along the whole of France's eastern frontier.—Reuter.

London Consultations

London, Sept. 6.

M. Charles Corbin, French Ambassador here, conferred with Sir Robert Vansittart, Chief Diplomatic Adviser to the British Government, and discussed the Czech situation today.

Both France and Great Britain would like the Czech President, Dr. Eduard Benes, to publish his Government's latest proposals to the Sudetens as soon as possible so that world opinion should fully realize the extent of Prague's concessions before Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler makes his important speech at Nuremberg on September 12, it is said here.

It is understood that Mr. Basil Cochrane-Newton, British Minister in Prague, will be instructed to advise a speedy publication of the Czech offers, decided at yesterday's Cabinet meeting.—Havas.

Rumanian-Soviet Pact Denied in Bucharest

No Agreement for Russian Troops to Cross Country

Bucharest, Sept. 7.

Official quarters last night authorized a denial of rumours of an alleged Soviet Russian-Rumanian agreement to permit Soviet Russian troops and Soviet Russian war material to pass through Rumania.

Rumania had neither signed an agreement to this effect nor had any conversations on the subject.

Rumania does not intend to enter into any such obligations with Soviet Russia, all the more so as such obligations would be contrary to the nature and aims of the Polish-Rumanian alliance and all vital interests of the Rumanian nation.—Trans-Ocean.

Scions of Russian Royal House Now British

Grandchildren of Late Czar's Sister Naturalized

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 7.

With their naturalization gazetted today, three grandchildren of the Grand Duchess Xenia of Russia, sister of the late Czar, have become British subjects.

They are Prince Alexander, Prince Michael and Princess Xenia, who live in Hampton Court Palace, the home of the Grand Duchess.

The "Gazette" refers to them as Alexander and Michael Romanoff, students, and Xenia Romanoff, without occupation.—Reuter.

Eurasia Aeroplane Shot Down

Japanese Chase Machine at Hankow

Hankow, Sept. 7.

Making the second to meet with the same fate within as many days, another Eurasia 'plane was shot down by Japanese aircraft south-west of Hankow yesterday afternoon, it was learned belatedly today.

Excepting for minor scratches, all the five occupants of the 'plane are safe, according to a statement made by Mr. H. Shou-yung, Cantonese pilot of the 'plane, in an interview after arriving here today.

"It was a miracle that no one was injured," the pilot declared, "since the Japanese pursuit 'planes machine-gunned the aeroplane four times, three times in the air and once after we had crashed into the rice-fields.

"The right wing of the 'plane bore over 40 machine-gun bullet holes, the left wing eight, the control room five, while the pilot's coat, left on a chair two feet behind the pilot, had six bullet holes.

"The same Eurasia 'pane took off yesterday morning with passengers and mails for Sian, but turned back due to failure to contact Sian by wireless on arrival at Wuchang.

"All passengers returned to Hankow, and the mails were unloaded.

"When information was received that three Japanese pursuit 'planes were heading for Hankow yesterday afternoon at 3.15 p.m., I decided to take off, accompanied by the mechanic, wireless operator and steward.

"A Chinese coolie delivering gasoline also went aboard, making up the five aboard the 'plane.

"The Japanese 'planes, after machine-gunning us in the air, machine-gunned us again for five minutes after we crashed in the paddy field.

"They then departed.

"The propellers and landing gear were damaged.

"We only succeeded in contacting Hankow at 11.30 o'clock this morning, when cars were sent to Paichow to take us back to Hankow."

The Eurasia authorities are sending a party to bring back the machine to Hankow. The 'plane, it is understood, is not badly damaged.

Paichow, where the 'plane crashed, is situated 25 miles to the south-west of Wuchang.—Reuter.

No Immunity Promised

Hongkong, Sept. 7.

The Japanese Consul-General here emphatically denies that he gave assurances of immunity to Eurasia Aviation Corporation 'planes, as reported on Monday.

In a letter forwarded to the German Consulate-General on Saturday, he requested advance notifications regarding routes and time tables of aeroplanes before immunity could be given, he stated.

However, such information was not supplied to the Japanese in regard to the trip in question, presumably because Monday was a holiday in Hongkong and the German Consulate-General was closed.—Reuter.

"Stay on the Ground"

Tokyo, Sept. 7.

By staying on the ground, Chinese commercial aircraft will "most effectively" evade mishaps resulting from encounters with Japanese naval or military aeroplanes. Rear-Admiral Kiyoshi Noda, director of information of the Naval Section of the Imperial General Headquarters, believes.

Commenting on the machine-gunning of a Eurasia Aviation Corporation airliner en route to Yunnan from Hongkong on Monday, Rear-Admiral Noda reiterated that while Japanese military or naval aircraft would not deliberately attack Chinese civilian 'planes, the Japanese authorities could not guarantee the safety of such machines if they flew over the zones of operations of the Japanese forces.

He asserted that the two recent incidents, involving, one a China National Aviation Corporation machine, the other a Eurasia Aviation Corporation craft, had shown that it was difficult for fliers engaged in military operations to differentiate promptly between military and civilian aircraft.—Domei.

Eurasia Plane to Blame

Nanking, Sept. 7.

Japanese military aircraft were justified in attacking a Eurasia airliner above Hankow yesterday since the machine was flying without the assent of the Japanese authorities, a spokesman for the Press Bureau of the Japanese Expeditionary Force to Central China asserted here today in commenting on the shooting down of a machine identified as "Eurasia—17."

The spokesman pointed out that the Hankow area formed the centre of the present Sino-Japanese military operations and constituted one of the most vital zones of hostilities.—Domei.

Chancellor Hitler and the Sudeten Leader

Chancellor Hitler, who is now attending the Nuremberg Nazi rally, seen with Herr Conrad Henlein, the Sudeten leader, at Breslau. Chancellor Hitler spoke yesterday but his long-expected pronouncement is not expected until next Tuesday.

China to Invoke Article 17 Of League Covenant

Appeal to Foreign Powers on Eve of Geneva Session; Gratitude for Past Aid

Hankow, Sept. 7.

THE Chinese Foreign Office is reliably learned to have instructed the Chinese delegation to invoke Article 17 of the Covenant at the forthcoming meetings of the League of Nations Council and Assesmbly. China's request, it is understood, will be very firm, well-informed sources claim that this will "probably be China's final appeal before the League."

Dr. Chu Chia-hua, President of the Chinese League of Nations Union, is reported to have already cabled M. Joseph Avenol, Secretary-General of the League, urging the application of Article 17.

Public bodies in Hankow are now organizing mass meetings and parades and sending appeals to Geneva in connection with the forthcoming meetings of the Council and Assembly.

Article 17 of the League Covenant provides for the settlement of a dispute between a member of the League and a non-member state, which shall be invited to accept the obligations of membership for the purposes of such dispute.

But if a state so invited shall refuse to accept the obligations of membership, and shall resort to war against a League member, it is laid down that the provisions of Article 16 (sanctions) shall be applicable against the state taking such action.

No Complaints

Writing under the subtitle, "A Word to the British people on the Eve of the League Meetings," General Chiang Po-li, who recently returned from Europe, which he toured for one year as Generalissimo Chiang-Kai-shek's personal representative, frankly stated that "the Chinese people have no complaint against the League nor any against Britain.

"Despite the League of Nations' weakness and shortcomings we must know that today nations must form groups in order to fight," he said. "It is impossible for a nation to seek world peace individually.

"We don't care about what the Powers' representatives are doing in Geneva. We can only have sincere admiration for the principles behind the League.

"We are grateful to Britain for assistance to China in the form of economic reconstruction and diplomatic guidance and support," he added. "If we ask for more there must be something wrong with ourselves. That's why our leader, Chiang Kai-shek, has repeatedly urged us to seek economic reconstruction and national defence through our own efforts."—Reuter.

Two Points Emphasized

There were two points, however, which General Chiang Po-li wished to bring to the attention of the British people:

Firstly, "Britain's special position. She is not purely a European power. She is a modern world power and so any development anywhere in the world must affect her interests."

Secondly, "Japan's special position. Today's world struggle aims at economic supremacy. Japan, due to her limited resources, must seek economic expansion."

General Chiang Po-li asked, "If Japan's invasion of China is aimed against Bolshevism, why did she not turn northward instead of pushing the war into the Yangtze Valley and South China, which threatens Britain's interests in South China and Hongkong?"

Concluding, General Chiang Po-li declared: "The present Yangtze fighting is far from the Soviet border. The chances of assistance from Britain should be much greater than those from Russia."—Reuter.

Interpretation of Art. 16

London, Sept. 7.

Belgium, Sweden, and Holland have informed the Foreign Office, in connection with the forthcoming meeting of the League Council, that they do not intend to continue considering the application of Article XVI of the League Covenant as involving the automatic enforcement of sanctions.

This demarche was taken in connection with the present international situation.

It may be recalled that the question of the revision of the League Covenant and Article XVI has been discussed for the past year and is to be reconsidered at the League meeting.

Several Governments, since the Ethiopian affair, considered that the Article in question had lost a considerable amount of its value.—Havas.

British Home Fleet Start Manœuvres

London, Sept. 7.

The British North Sea Squadron under the command of Admiral Sir Charles Forbes on board H.M.S. Nelson, sailed from Portsmouth, Chatham and Devonport yesterday to take part in the autumn manœuvres which are being held this year off the eastern coast of Scotland. The manœuvres will last until November 14.—Trans-Ocean.

Fuehrer Attacks Jewish People

Racial and Cultural Doctrines Expounded At Nuremberg Rally

Nuremberg, Sept. 7.

An attack against Jews was the feature of an address made by Herr Adolf Hitler before the Nazi Party Congress last evening, when art and culture were discussed.

Jews as a whole, the Fuehrer declared, were absolutely unproductive, and their criticisms were of no consequence.

The strongest opposition to Nazism, he asserted, still came from international Jewry.

The ejection of Jews from the cultural life of Germany, Herr Hitler asserted, should be regarded by other countries as a gain, not a loss, but while they criticized the crumbling decay of culture in Germany they were little inclined to admit representative Jewish art into their own lands.

Germany's cultural achievements, the Fuehrer said, would attain world fame in years to come, and their buildings would last longer than gibbering democratic Jewish critics.

Racial Theory Expounded

Dr. Alfred Rosenberg, Nazi cultural leader, then made a vigorous defence of the National Socialist racial theory.

Race doctrine, he declared, was not discovered by the church which was therefore not competent to sit in judgment on the subject

The science of race, he added, was the final result of many centuries of research and self-assertion by European geniuses and nations.

That meant, Dr. Rosenberg concluded, "that our age begins to listen reverently and consciously to the laws of this life and will no longer allow itself to be led into errors by legends of the past."

Herr Konrad Henlein, Leader of the Sudeten Germans, arrived here last evening. It is understood that he immediately got in touch with German officials.—Reuter.

Herr Hitler Addresses Labour

Nuremberg, Sept. 7.

"You represent the sublimest motto we know—help yourself and God will help you," declared Herr Adolf Hitler addressing a mass gathering of 42,000 men of the Labour Service here today.

"Your spades," Herr Hitler stated, "work in the north, in the east, in the west, in the service of safeguarding and preserving the Reich."

Herr Hitler's reference to the west is regarded by observers here as a reference to the work on the fortifications of the Rhine Frontier, and elsewhere.

When the members of the Labour Service took up their positions opposite to the platform on which Herr Hitler stood, a voice shouted:—

"Here we stand. We are prepared."

The men responded "We are prepared," and then sang in unison "We thank our Leader that he calls us. We want to be ready. We want to sacrifice our lives to work for Germany."

The men then chanted a number of patriotic poems.—Reuter.

Japan Charged With Using Gas

New Chinese Complaint to League of Nations

Geneva, Sept. 7.

The Secretariat of the League of Nations has published a new Note from the Chinese Government setting out recent cases of the alleged use of poison gas by Japanese troops, notably in the neighbourhood of Kiukiang.

The Note has been communicated to all states members of the League.

Among 11 cases during the past four months set forth are the alleged wiping out of an entire Chinese division at Singtze, on the south bank of the Yangtze, on September 1 and the gassing of 1,000 Chinese soldiers at Juichang on August 23.

Reports by five Red Cross doctors to the effect that they had treated Chinese soldiers for gas poisoning at Hsuchow as early as May 11 are cited, and the Note states that documents found on the bodies of Japanese killed in action near Anking in June contained instructions to use gas and proved that the Japanese had a special chemical warfare corps.

Japanese Reply

These accusations were countered in a communique issued by the Japanese Permanent Bureau this morning.

The communique alleges that "Hankow's calumny against the Japanese is an attempt to conceal unjustifiable acts on the part of the Chinese troops."

The note quotes Chinese military documents, allegedly captured near Taiyuan, in which General Yeh Hsi-shan is said to advocate the "abundant use of gas, with a view to the annihilation of the enemy."

The Chinese are alleged to have used poison gas in mid-July in the Hsiahsien sector, in Shansi, and on August 28 at Chungyan.—Reuter.

Arrested Germans in City of Lintin

Consul-General Making Effort for Release

Hongkong, Sept. 7.

The German Consul at Canton has taken up the case of the four Germans arrested by the Chinese authorities yesterday in the village of Shautauhok, on the Sino-British border, on charges of photographing strategic points on the frontier.

The arrested Germans are: H. Lucas, 29, and V. Diossel, 28, both employed in Otto Wolss and Company, of Hongkong; T. Wihtry, 36, independent photographer; and D. Slatow, 21, employed in Carlowitz and Company, Hongkong.

The four Germans are reported to have been removed to the Chinese city of Lintin, where they are being examined.—Reuter.

Tientsin Concession Puzzle Easier

Amicable Solution During This Week Expected

Tokyo, Sept. 7.

Questioned by foreign correspondents concerning the actual situation at Tientsin, a Foreign Office spokesman said today that he had the impression that the concession evacuation question will be settled in a friendly manner through conversations between the Japanese and Anglo-French authorities there.

A hopeful view was expressed by the spokesman for the settlement of the situation which arose after Japanese residents started to leave the British and French Concessions in Tientsin.

A wholesale withdrawal of Japanese residents was reported to have been decided upon as a protest against alleged "non-co-operation" on the part of the authorities of the British and French Concessions in their attitude toward the Japanese authorities in the latter's efforts to maintain peace and

Six Spanish Nationalists Brave Rain Of Bullets to Pave Way for Troops

Suicide Squad Clear Path in Sierra de Caballos Region; Republicans Claimed to Have Been Routed

Saragossa, Sept. 6.

Six volunteers braved thousands of bullets to approach a series of Republican machine-gun nests and wipe out the majority of them with hand grenades to clear the path for advancing Nationalist troops in the Sierra de Caballos region, the Nationalist headquarters said today.

Nationalist artillery first mowed down thousands of stunted Mediterranean pines which covered the sierras, thus making it possible for the infantry to advance easier and clearly see the Republicans and their positions, the Nationalists asserted.

Nationalist pressure in the Ebro sector became especially strong at the Sierra de Caballos, north and east of Gandesa, where three columns operated in the last 24 hours.

Pressure was so furious that the Republicans suffered 1,000 casualties and 800 Republicans were taken prisoners, the Nationalists claimed.

Republicans put up stiff resistance in the mountains, their defences comprising many lines of trenches among the pine-covered land which they surrounded with barbed wire entanglements. Numerous machine-guns also handicapped the Nationalists.

The suicide squad of six men, however, smothered most of the blazing machine-guns and then the Nationalists advanced rapidly, the Nationalists said.

The Republicans on several occasions attempted to reply to the intensive Nationalist bombardment but were unable to hold up the advance or destroy Nationalist communications because of their weak fire. Most of the Republican heavy artillery is on the further side of the Ebro River.

A United Press correspondent through field glasses saw the Nationalists advance. He also saw Republican ambulances in long streams taking wounded to the rear.

Several hundred wounded Republicans were rescued from the battlefield by the Nationalist Red Cross, the Nationalists claimed.—United Press.

Nationalist Planes Downed

Barcelona, Sept. 6.

Four Nationalist planes were brought down during an air battle in the Ebro sector last night, the Republicans claimed today. They said their forces suffered no losses.—United Press.

Capture of Important Heights

Burgos, Sept. 7.

Nationalists, continuing to advance in the Ebro sector, claim to have captured important heights, and state that they now command all slopes to the river.

Many prisoners are said to have been taken, including Italians belonging to the Republicans' "Garibaldi Brigade."—Reuter.

Chinese Defences Pierced

Movements Noted Behind Line After Capture of Kwangtsi and Kushih; Japanese Advance

WIDESPREAD commotion along the entire Chinese front lines was being discerned yesterday following the fall into Japanese hands of Kwangtsi, a walled city in eastern Hupeh province on Tuesday, a communique issued by the headquarters of the Japanese Expeditionary Force to Central China at noon yesterday claimed.

The reported signs of wavering were ascribed by the communique to the reverses suffered by the Chinese south of the Yangtze as well as to the loss of Kwangtsi, which formed a pivotal point in the Chinese first line of defence of the Wuhan cities along the north bank of the river extending from Wusueh on the Yangtze to the Tapieh mountain range by way of Kwangtsi and Yingshan.

Kwangtsi was occupied by the Japanese forces at 3 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon after a week of dawn and night attacks upon several lines of strong Chinese defences built so as to take full advantage of the mountainous terrain, the communiqué recalled.

Westward Advance

Advancing to the neighbourhood of Susung and Hwangmei towards the end of July, the announcement stated, Japanese troops had engaged Central Army forces under Gen. Hsu Yuan-chang in addition to more than 13 divisions of Kwangsi troops for over one month, succeeding in pushing back their numerically superior adversaries into the Tapieh range.

Suddenly changing the direction of their advance to the west, these Japanese forces began a drive towards Kwangtsi on August 30 leading to the seizure of the town on Tuesday, the communiqué declared.

The westward advance was being continued, according to the announcement.

Kushih Captured

Kushih, easternmost key point in the triangular system of Chinese defences in south-western Honan province thrown across the path of Japanese troops skirting the northern foothills of the Tapieh mountain in multiple thrusts towards the Peiping-Hankow Railway, fell to the Japanese at daybreak yesterday, Domei staff correspondents reported.

The city's capture followed the occupation of a portion of the wall at 6 o'clock on Tuesday evening following an assault by Japanese forces which had advanced to within 50 metres of Kushih by 4.30 o'clock.

Under a protective artillery barrage, the Japanese succeeded in blasting open the eastern gate, through which they entered the city. By midnight, the town was completely occupied.

Several fires were started by the retreating Chinese who fled to the north-west. Other Chinese troops were also sighted by Japanese aerial observers to be falling back to the west across the Chu River, where a troop of about 300 cavalrymen were reported being engaged in destroying the bridge.

Battle on Honan Border

Meantime, bitter engagements were still being fought by Japanese troops advancing into Honan from Yehkiatsi in Anhwei, slowly overcoming the opposition of a Chinese force estimated at nine divisions, including the crack Central Army's 88th Division.

Included in the equipment of this strong Chinese force were reported being one 150 millimetre howitzer in addition to more than 80 pieces of field and mountain artillery. Cavalry was also included in the form of a cavalry division. The total Chinese strength was estimated to be well over 30,000 men.

With the capture yesterday of Shunhotien, 14 kilometres west of Yehkiatsi on the road to Shangchen, another pivotal point in the south-eastern Honan defence triangle, the Japanese forces gained the upper hand, as they were placed in a position to stop the westward retreat of the Chinese deployed along the western bank of the Shih River running north to south parallel to the provincial border, the dispatches claimed.

Also in Japanese hands was Likiatsi, on the eastern bank of the Shih River, 10 kilometres north-west of Yehkiatsi, while a Japanese flying column was reported to be eight kilometres south-east of Koulutan junction, 30 kilometres directly south of Kushih.

Yellow River Fighting

The capture of Wenhsien, a walled town on the northern bank of the Yellow River in southern Shansi 65 kilometres north-east of Loyang, by Japanese troops at 8 o'clock on Tuesday morning was claimed in a dispatch from the northern front yesterday afternoon.

With its capture all key points north of the river in Shansi and Honan provinces were claimed to be held by the Japanese.

Repeated counter-attacks by Chinese troops on Japanese positions at Hukow and Pengtseh, 30 and 60 kilometres respectively east of Kiukiang, have been repulsed, a message from Kiukiang stated yesterday afternoon.

The Chinese attacks were made over a period of more than a month following the Japanese occupation of the two places.

A force of 1,500 Chinese was repulsed after attacking Japanese positions in the sector south of Liuszekiao between Hukow and Pengtseh, the Kiukiang message claimed. Severe fighting raged there for several hours. The Chinese left 400 dead, the report claimed.

Chinese Guerillas In Singtze

Japanese Said to Have Landed More Troops

Hankow, Sept. 7.

Chinese mobile units entered Singtze, township on the west shore of Poyang Lake, yesterday, and engaged the Japanese garrison in street fighting, according to a Chinese military communiqué.

Fighting, Chinese reports state, is now proceeding on the south bank of the Yangtze in the vicinity of Tatung and Tungning, above Wuhu.

Here, the Japanese were reported to have landed large forces.

Chinese shore batteries were today reported to be exchanging fire with Japanese warships, which were shelling Matoucheng, on the south bank above Kiukiang.—Reuter.

Latest Exchange

The closing Interbank selling rates yesterday were as follows:

Sterling 8 11/16d. U.S.$ 17 1/16c.

Loss of Mahweiling A Severe Blow

Provincial Troops Held To Blame For Chinese Reverse Near Tehan

Hankow, Sept. 7.

Mixed feelings of surprise and regret have been aroused here by the news of the Chinese abandonment of Mahweiling, north of Tehan, which has hitherto been considered the strongest Chinese line on the south bank of the Yangtze.

Provincial troops are blamed for the Chinese evacuation of this important point. Their failure to withstand the Japanese attacks are said to have thrown the whole line into confusion.

With the aid of Central Government forces, a new line is now being formed to the south of Mahweiling.

The Chinese here also admit that their troops are in a critical position at Kushih, in eastern Honan, which is now being besieged from three directions by the Japanese troops advancing westward from north-western Anhwei.

With the fall of Mahweiling the Japanese are now able either to march southward along the Kiukiang-Nanchang Railway to Nanchang or strike westward by highway, via Wuning and Hsiushi, towards Hsienning, on the Canton-Hankow Railway south of Hankow.

Chinese positions north of Tehan now resemble the shape of a pocket, it is stated here, with the centre falling backward to form the bottom, while the two wings are holding their positions a considerable distance north-east and north-west of the centre.

On the north bank of the Yangtze, while the Japanese are declared to be pushing westward along the highway towards Kwangchi, reaching a point south-east of there, the Chinese left wing is claimed to have gone behind the Japanese and is now engaging them north-west of Hwangmei.—Reuter.

Japanese Naval Planes Assist Troops

Chinese Munitions Dumps Destroyed

Japanese naval planes under the command of Lieut.-Commander Shotaro Yamanouye, operating in the Nanchang area on Tuesday, bombed and demolished munition dumps, barracks and 20 godowns near Chichetan, Japanese fleet authorities announced in a communique at noon yesterday.

Fires were started at several places, the communique said. Also demolished were three big godowns at Chungtan along the Kiukiang-Nanchang Railway, the communiqué stated.

A big bridge spanning the highway leading to Nanchang was blasted, according to the communique.

Another naval air squadron under the command of Lieut. Chiyoji Mori raided the Ninghsiang aerodrome in Hunan province, north-west of Changsha, seeking in vain grounded planes and Chinese fighters in the air. Runways at the aerodrome were bombed.

Assisting Japanese troops in reducing Kwangtsi in Hupeh province, a large number of naval planes bombed Chinese field artillery positions, food supply units and motor cars. The damage was heavy, the communiqué said.

Chinese troops and field artillery positions also were bombed near Tehan, the communiqué continued. Other naval air squadrons operated north-west of Juichang.

Heavy losses were inflicted on fleeing Chinese troops, the communiqué stated.

Along the Canton-Hankow Railway naval raiders blasted an iron bridge near Yuantan and tracks at several points, the communiqué concluded.

Chinese Planes Raid Japanese Ships

Bombs Cause No Damage, Says Communique

Kiukiang, Sept. 7.

After a long period of inactivity, six Chinese bombers in formation raided Japanese warships on the Yangtze at 9.10 o'clock yesterday morning.

About 14 bombs were unloosed by the raiders but all of them fell wide of their targets, dropping into the water, Japanese naval authorities stated.

Intensive anti-aircraft fire forced the raiders to flee.—Domei.

Radio Phone to Tokyo To Be Resumed

After a test of wireless telephone communication between Shanghai and Tokyo on September 10 regular service will be opened by the middle of October at the latest, as the result of rehabilitation work carried out by the Central China Electric Communication Company, according to the Shanghai "Nippo" yesterday evening.

The sending office for the present will be established on Linching Road and a receiving office on Kwenming Road in eastern Shanghai. The charge for one conversation, though not definitely fixed, probably will be Y.7 to Y.10.

Steel Traveller, Nankin Due Today

Scharnhorst is Expected; Yasukuni Maru Arrives Tomorrow Morning

Arriving from New York and way ports, the Isthmian S. Corp. ss. Steel Traveller should enter port today at about 2 p.m. and berth at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf where she will stop for several days and then proceed to Manila and U.S.A. The E. & A. ss. Nankin is on her way here from Australia, Manila and Hongkong and is due at buoys 12-13 today at about 9 a.m. Stopping here for about a day she will proceed to Japan ports, which she is to leave for Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne.

Local offices of the N.Y.K. announce that their ss. Haruna Maru leaves their Wayside Wharf today at about 3 p.m. for Aden, Naples, Marseilles, London, Antwerp, Rotterdam and Hamburg via the Straits and Colombo, while their ss. Yasukuni Maru is due from Europe and way ports at the same wharf, tomorrow at about 7 a.m., and sails on the following day for Kobe and Yokohama. Their ss. Nagasaki Maru leaves for Nagasaki direct today at 9 a.m.

According to present arrangements, the H.A.L. mv. Burgenland should sail from the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf, today at 5 p.m. for Taku Bar, Dairen and Japan ports. The Glen Line ss. Glengarry leaves Holt's Wharf today at about 2.30 p.m. for Taku Bar and Dairen; while the D.K.K. ss. Dairen Maru leaves the company's Wharf today at 11 a.m. for Tsingtao and Dairen.

N.D.L. Liner Expected

As previously announced, the N.D.L. liner Scharnhorst arrives from Europe and way ports on Saturday at about 7 a.m. at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf and her passengers should reach the Customs Jetty by 9 a.m. She should stop here for a day and leave on Sunday at 8 a.m. for Yokohama and Kobe. The outgoing passengers may embark directly at the wharf on Sunday until 7.45 a.m. or take the passenger tender which is to leave the Customs Jetty at 7 a.m. Round trip to Japan is offered in this liner, the rates being 1st class Y.215 and Tourist Y.135. Passengers to Kobe have the choice of using the railway between Yokohama and Kobe instead of their steamer tickets, which are interchangeable with those of the Canadian Pacific and the Hamburg Amerika Line.

Latest advice received from the local offices of the Maersk Line states that the mv. Tourcoing is on her way here from New York, the Pacific Coast ports and Japan and should berth at Hunt's Wharf sometime this Saturday. She is to leave on the following day for Hongkong, Manila, Cebu and Iloilo.

The Wilhelmsen Line mv. Troja is due from the Scandinavian and Continental ports on Saturday and is to berth at the Old Ningpo Wharf which she will leave after a short stop in this port for Taku, Bar, Dairen and Japan ports.

Sailing for Amoy, Hongkong, Manila, Cebu, Macassar, Bali, Soerabaia, and Java, the J.C.J.L. mv. Tjisadane leaves Holt's Wharf today at 11 a.m. Passenger tender leaves the Customs Jetty at 9.30 a.m. The Silver Line mv. Silverwalnut is expected from New York and way ports, tomorrow evening at Holt's Wharf from where she is to sail for Hongkong Manila, Java ports, Singapore, Halifax, Boston and New York.

Coastal Shipping

According to present arrangements, the C.N. ss. Shuntien is due from North China this afternoon and will berth at the French Bund. Their ss. Ninghai arrives at the same bund this morning from Hongkong and Swatow; while the ss. Chungking is expected in Pootung this afternoon from South China. Their ss. Nanning shifts to Holt's Wharf tomorrow at 10 a.m. and sails as soon as the loading is completed, for Tsingtao, Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin. The ss. Kwangtung leaves the French Bund tomorrow at 10 a.m. for Swatow, Hongkong, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong; while the same company's ss. Whangpu arrives from the Yangtze Delta this afternoon and sails back to Changkiakong via Hupukow, tomorrow at 6 a.m.

The I.-C.S.N. Co. state that their ss. Kwaisang is due from Tientsin and Chefoo, today at the Roosevelt Terminal Wharf; while the ss. Fooshing arrives on the same day at the same wharf from Hongkong and Swatow. The ss. Fausang leaves the Roosevelt Terminal Buoys today at 9 p.m. for Tsingtao, Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin. Passengers are to be conveyed to the ship by tenders from the Customs Jetty leaving at 4, 6 and 8.45 p.m. The same company's ss. Tungwo is due at the Peking Road Jetty from Hsinkong, this afternoon; and sails for the same port tomorrow at 6 a.m.

Passengers

Among those who sailed for Hongkong and Manila on Tuesday in the ss. Empress of Japan, were:

Mrs. F. R. and Miss N. Allison, Mr. H. Ammann, Mr. S. Bard, Dr. J. E. Baker, Mrs. I. M. Baxter, Mr. A. L. Caplan, Mr. W. Dufflield, Mrs. N. J. Duke, Miss J. G. Duke, Mrs. M. P. Eager, Mr. L. D. Ekvall, Mrs. Ekvall, Miss M. L. and Master L. D. Ekvall, Mr. A. Frigerio, Mrs. G. S. Gardner, Mr. J. A. Gray, Mr. J. J. Hendry, Mr. I. L. Howell, Mrs. K. H. L. Hutley, Mrs. M. Jackson, Miss J. E. Jackson, Mr. S. C. Johannes, Miss E. Jacobson, Mrs. F. M. Jowit, Mme. S. K. Kagans, Capt. F. E. L. Lucas, Mr. Lund, Miss B. Maloney, Mr. C. M. McDonald, Mr. A. C. F. Miedbrodt, Mr. C. C. Morris, Mr. P. Mari, Mr. R. G. Milne, Mr. W. R. Prokopoff, Mr. J. Prentice, Mr. M. L. Ridnour, Mr. E. L. Rissin, Mrs. D. Rowem, Mr. A. D. Roostein, Mr. H. Lansing, Miss D. E. Steward, Mr. M. Schiller, Mr. G. J. Schiller, Mr. E. Shapiro, Miss S. Shaw, Miss I. P. Sayle, Mr. T. A. Villas, Mr. G. Verra, Mr. Goldenberg, Mr. G. R. Coleman, Mr. B. M. Simansky, Mr. L. Feigelman, Mr. T. F. Skvortsov, Mrs. F. B. Lynch, Dr. and Mrs. N. Thorbecke, Mr. and Mrs. J. Welch, Miss E. M. Parsons, Mrs. B. J. and Miss B. A. Boomer, Mr. F. Fairman, Mr. H. Farmer, Mrs. M. Harbett and Master Harbett.

Mr. H. Tomlinson arrived from Chinwangtao yesterday in the ss. Katie Moller.

Miss H. E. McIlroy, Mr. and Mrs. Yashnoff, Mr. V. C. Sosnin, Mr. and Mrs. Bogdanoff, Mrs. Collins, Mr. S. Jones, Mrs. Maitland, Mr. A. Shackleton, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Davies and two children, Mrs. S. Hardman and child, Mrs. and Miss Smith, Mrs. Frost and son, Mr. A. W. Robson, Master S. Peake, Mrs. Greenfield and two children and Mr. A. Johnstone, arrived from North China in the ss. Fausang on Monday.

Among those who arrived from North China in the ss. Norviken, on Saturday, were: Miss R. Foyn, Mr. and Mrs. de Villerose, Mr. T. H. Herman, Mrs. Daniels and child, Miss Smith, Mrs. and Miss Deniakin, Mr. Monneraud, Mr. D. Smith, Mr. James, Miss Richardson, Miss K. Sharp, Mrs. Duguid and child, Mrs. Davison and child and Miss C. Pollock.

Miss J. M. Fleet, Mr. and Mrs. Baker and five children, Mrs. Wiley and four children, Miss Eix, Mr. C. A. Robertson, Mrs. Neprud and three children, Mrs. Wallace and child, Mrs. Calcina and child, Miss D. A. Hawkings, Master and Miss Sulerzyski, Mr. E. K. Berents, Mrs. J. B. Smith, arrived in the ss. Kaiping, from Chinwangtao on Monday; while Mme. Plessis and two daughters, Mrs. Roboostoff and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. G. Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Huntee, Mrs. Dobbs and two children, arrived from the same port, on Tuesday in the ss. Jenny Moller.

Those who sailed on Monday for North China in the ss. Sandviken, included: Mr. and Mrs. Wheen, Mr. Dolin, Mr. Kojnoff, Mr. O. E. Liell, Rev. Father Dekkers, Mr. Leys and Mr. Klein. Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hunt, Mother Marie Bernard and Mr. Georgakopoolo, sailed on Tuesday in the ss. Liangchow for Swatow and Hongkong. Mrs. E. Riddoch, Mrs. and Miss Nimmo, and Mrs. A. C. Mendoza left yesterday in the ss. Tsinan for Hongkong.

Miss Poulet, Mrs. C. Fuidge, Mr. Volk, Mr. Thomas, Mme. Charlet, Mrs. V. Dagaeff, Miss Pollock, Mr. N. M. Shikolink, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Mihailoff sailed for North China in the ss. Hunan yesterday.

Hankow Safety Zone Defined

Tokyo, Sept. 7.

About one-half of Hankow is included in the area designated by the Japanese Government as that which Japanese forces will refrain from attacking in order to ensure the safety of foreign rights and interests, it was announced here today. Immunity is granted on condition that Chinese forces do not use the designated area for military purposes, according to the spokesman of the Foreign Office, who said that the area comprises the French Concession, the former British, German and Russian Concessions, and the Custom House and Bund contiguous to them.—Reuter.

Czech Concessions to Sudetens Revealed

(Continued from page 5)

representative, met Dr. Milan Hodza, Czech Premier, this morning, when a memorandum containing the offer was, it is understood, handed to Herr Kundt.

None of the details of the proposals have yet been published locally.

As Parliament must eventually be consulted with regard to the proposals, the possibility of a Czech parliamentary crisis cannot be excluded.

The new Czech proposals are now being studied in official quarters in London, state reports from the British capital.

The first impression in these quarters, it is learned, is that they represent the basis on which negotiations might well be conducted.

It is hoped in London that both sides will be able to get together and examine the proposals in a spirit of goodwill.—Reuter.

London Welcomes Czech Proposals

London, Sept. 7.

Authorized circles here welcomed the new Czech proposals for the settlement of the Sudeten dispute which were forwarded to the British Government by Mr. Basil Cochrane-Newton, the British Minister in Prague.

It is hoped that the Sudetens will accept the proposals as a basis for further negotiations.

These quarters pointed out that the idea of amalgamation of the Sudeten districts into the Reich, as suggested in this morning's "Times," does not respond to official British views on the question.—Havas.

Czech People Objecting To Concessions

Prague Government Must Face Electorate Next

Prague, Sept. 6.

The semi-official Czech press indicated here today that Czechoslovakia's new proposals would fall considerably short of satisfying the Sudetens Karlsbad demands.

The "Prazske Noviny," usually regarded as reflecting the attitude of the President, Dr. Eduard Benes, said the Czech people were still against the acceptance of the Sudeten demands. The paper's statement followed reports printed in Britain intimating that the Czech Government was prepared to accept the Sudeten demands.

"Czechoslovakian public opinion has rejected the Karlsbad demands," the paper said, "and has condemned them strongly. This opinion of the Czech people has not changed and there should be no illusion on that point.

"Nor can Parliament accept the Karlsbad demands in their entirety. The Deputies must respect the opinion of their voters, so reform in Czechoslovakia cannot be carried out in any other than a Parliamentarian way."—United Press.

Paris Appreciative

Paris, Sept. 6.

Available information on Prague's "definitive" plan for the Sudeten Germans shows that the Czech Government have reached "the utmost limit of concessions compatible with the independence of Czechoslovakia," French politicians declare.

General opinion here greatly approves of the Czech authorities' spirit of conciliation, realizing fully the real difficulties Prague will encounter later, when it will have the task of making the majority of Czech peoples accept the sacrifices offered now.—Havas.

Tokyo Protests Holding Of Japanese

Release of Men Arrested Requested

Tokyo, Sept. 7.

The Foreign Office yesterday protested through the Japanese Embassy in Moscow against the alleged illegal detention of three Japanese nationals by Soviet authorities.

Of seven Japanese nationals arrested at Vladivostok in November of 1936 three never have been released after a year's imprisonment, Japanese authorities charged.

Despite repeated warnings from the Japanese Government to officials in Moscow and Vladivostok no reply has been received from the Soviet authorities, the Foreign Office stated.—Domei.

French Undertake To Dredge Creeks

Japanese Authorization Awaited; Work Formerly Done By Chinese Govt.

In order to ensure the drainage of the Concession waste water and factory refuse, the French authorities have decided to dredge the Siccawei and the Zafeikang creeks at their own expense. It was learnt that after protracted negotiations with the Japanese authorities controlling the Nantao area, their authorization "in principle" was obtained about three weeks ago.

Messrs. Permingeat & Co. were entrusted with the dredging works and attempted to start the operations when it transpired that besides the authorization in principle, additional authorizations were to be obtained from the Japanese authorities for every different stage of work, such as the admission of the coolies, authorization for the transport of refuse mud over the Nantao territory and its dumping in the waste lands now under the Ta Tao control, permission for the passage of the dredgers and lighters, etc.

The reason for these requirements is self evident since most of the work is to be carried out on the Nantao territory. However, the delay occurred in carrying out of these urgently required operations is detrimental as much to Nantao as it is to the Concession, in view of which it is evident that both authorities are equally desirous of promoting this vital and indispensible project.

Former Arrangements

Prior to the conflict the work of maintaining the creek in good condition was carried out by the Chinese authorities of Nantao. Since their evacuation the creeks were neglected and the Concession authorities agreed to cover the large expense of dredging operations in order to safeguard the regular drainage of Concession waste water.

Some 150,000 cubic metres of mud are to be taken out of the creeks to restore them to normal condition. This mud is to be transported by wheelbarrows to waste lands some distance away and dumped there, after the contractors secure the necessary permission of the owners of properties affected by the operations.

A dam is to be constructed across the Siccawei creek opposite Av. du Roi Albert and later another opposite Rte. Pere Robert. From the latter dam to the already existing dam opposite the Rte. Prosper Paris the entire Siccawei creeks is to be dry-pumped by sections by electric pumps installed near the dams; and then cleaned by manual labour. The Zafeikang creek, which is the outlet of the Siccawei creek, which divides the Concession from the Nantao to the Whangpoo and runs entirely through Nantao territory, is to be excavated by dredgers. The mud from that section is to be transported by lighters and conveyed to waste lands by wheelbarrows. Hundreds of coolies were enlisted for this project and now remain idle until the final authorization of the authorities concerned, which is hoped to be forthcoming in near future.

Queen Wilhelmina Sees Colonial Institute

Choir of 13,000 Sings in Front of Palace

Amsterdam, Sept. 7.

Queen Wilhelmina was enthusiastically greeted by Netherlanders throughout the country today when she drove through decorated streets on a visit to the Colonial Institute, where an exhibition is being held to give an almost complete survey of the development of economic life in Holland and the Netherlands East Indies during her reign.

A striking exhibit was a magnificent display of rough diamonds sent from London.

In the afternoon a mammoth choir of 13,000, including children, supported by an orchestra of six bands, assembled in front of the Palace. The Royal Family listened to the music from the balcony.

At the conclusion of the programme the choirs and bands marched past, cheering lustily.

A feature of the illuminations was the brilliant lighting of famous canals.

Tonight there will be a soccer match between the Netherlands national team and the Italian champions, the Juventus. Again there will be music, dancing and open-air cinema shows in the streets.—Reuter.

Manchoukuo Mission Arrives in Italy

Elaborate Programme to Entertain Visitors

Rome, Sept. 7.

A Manchoukuo Mission of Friendship, headed by the Minister of Finance, arrived at Naples yesterday on a visit to Italy.

The party was welcomed by Signor Bastianini, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

An extensive programme of entertainment has been drawn up for the mission.—Reuter.

Rickshaws in Hongkew Have Longer Hours

About 600 rickshaw pullers in the Hongkew district were given permission to run until 10 o'clock at night beginning yesterday for the convenience of the Japanese community, according to Japanese papers yesterday evening.

The former period for their operations, permitted until 6 o'clock, has been lengthened by four hours. Such places as Scott Road and the North Station, formerly prohibited points, have become accessible to the vehicles, the papers said.

General Miners Strike Looms in Sydney

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Sydney, Sept. 7.

A general strike of coal-miners, affecting 23,000 men, is due to start on September 9. The men are pressing for better conditions.—Reuter.

Profiteering Over The Creek

Japanese Authorities May Enforce Strict Control

Commodity price vagaries in Hongkew, the suspicions of profiteering, may lead Japanese officials in Shanghai to revise consular regulations in order to enforce better control over such dishonest practices, the Shanghai "Nippo" reported yesterday.

Simultaneously, the Japanese daily said, in order to break the monopolistic hold of Japanese dealers in Hongkew, stalls in Hongkew Market will be hereafter allotted on a 50-50 basis to Chinese and Japanese.

Citing examples, the daily reported, that a 10 per cent. difference existed between cigarette prices on Woosung Road and at the Shanghai Co-operative Society on North Szechuen Road. On the other hand, dumping of goods was also taking place. Watches and cosmetics were listed among those goods suffering the worst price vagaries, with differences as large as 50 per cent. on Woosung Road itself.

Prices at the markets and co-operative societies, which, the daily remarked, are institutions of a more or less public character, were also erratic. These conditions, the daily reported, were causing many housewives to make their daily purchases south of Soochow Creek among Chinese and foreign establishments.

Pope Makes Another Attack on Racialism

"Flings Peoples One Against Another"

Vatican City, Sept. 7.

Another attack on racialism was made by the Pope today, addressing 400 teachers of the Catholic Action.

Referring to the manifesto regarding university professors, issued some weeks ago, which was the first document published in Italy's racial campaign, the Pope said:—

"We are dealing with a grave error, which reaches up to the first steps of the altar, and attacks the Catholic doctrine."

The Pope added that he wished to speak only of exaggerated racialism, which "did not tend to advance fraternization between peoples, but flung them one against another."

No confirmation can be obtained of a Rome report which states that Signor Mussolini intends to offer tracts of land in Abyssinia to Jews.

No decision, it is understood, is likely to be given in the matter before the meeting of the Fascist Grand Council on October 1.—Reuter.

Rain Causes Hardship At Nuremberg Parade

Thousands of Men, Girls Participate

Nuremberg, Sept. 7.

It is raining steadily here, and the exceeding cold is causing much hardship among the participants and spectators of the Labour Front parade.

A total of 42,000 men and 2,000 girls have been lined up since the early hours of this morning on the Zeppelin Ground, these including 1,000 men and 90 girls from Austria.—Reuter.

Canidrome Results

1—440 yd. flat.—1, Wild Wind; 2, Black Duchess.
Also ran:—Lucky Tod, Rocket, Terminjay, North Law.
2 lengths.—Time, 28.20.
Win, $44.60. Forecast (1-5) Div. $128.90.
Place, 1st $20.20; 2nd $12.30.

2—440 yd. flat.—1, Modern Wave; 2, Diane.
Also ran:—Red Terror, Ah Liang, Last Ray, Baloney.
2 lengths.—Time, 27.27.
Win, $21.80. Forecast (1-2) Div. $61.80.
Double Event 1/2 (1-1) Div. $52.00.
Place, 1st $12.10; 2nd $10.50.

3—500 yd. flat.—1, Princeton; 2, Black Prince.
Also ran:—Hielan Lassie, Tragapan, Speedwing, Simple Cissy.
6 lengths.—Time, 31.24.
Win, $29.30. Forecast (5-3) Div. $108.20.
Double Event 2/3 (1-5) Div. $47.60.
Place, 1st $12.60; 2nd $19.40.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Sam Holer; 2, Mascot Major.
Also ran:—Mr. Ching, Gold Cap, Pearl's Glory, San Fairy Ann.
5 lengths.—Time, 31.31.
Win, $38.60. Forecast (2-6) Div. $385.40.
Double Event 3/4 (5-2) Div. $112.60.
Place, 1st $27.10; 2nd $13.40.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Triumph; 2, Fairy Bells.
Also ran:—Nagasaki, Pappyland II, Speed Cop, Send'm Along.
Short head.—Time, 31.34.
Win, $30.20. Forecast (3-6) Div. $207.20.
Double Event 4/5 (2-3) Div. $418.20.
Place, 1st $17.80; 2nd $15.90.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Wee Lil; 2, Outlaw.
Also ran:—L.Ousta No, Distinction, Go By, High Brow.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.67.
Win, $22.00. Forecast (1-4) Div. $139.80.
Double Event 5/6 (3-1) Div. $70.80.
Place, 1st $14.30; 2nd $10.90.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Terence; 2, Luhai Lily.
Also ran:—O'Branagan, Pearl's Fancy, Rosie O'Hara, Jacqueline.
5 lengths.—Time, 30.44.
Win, $38.60. Forecast (4-2) Div. $151.50.
Double Event 6/7 (1-4) Div. $198.00.
Place, 1st $13.80; 2nd $8.60.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Wild Girl; 2, Deflation.
Also ran:—Beau Ideal, Advance Guard, Maskee Lose, Princess Talgai.
2 lengths.—Time, 30.37.
Win, $34.10. Forecast (5-6) Div. $248.70.
Double Event 7/8 (4-5) Div. $114.70.
Place, 1st $18.10; 2nd $18.40.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, Maggie; 2, Aldyn Wild.
Also ran:—Master Bill, Banque Eve, Five Stars II, Venus II.
6 lengths.—Time, 30.54.
Win, $48.40. Forecast (2-6) Div. $283.50.
Double Event 8/9 (5-2) Div. $190.90.
Place, 1st $25.30; 2nd $14.80.

10—500 yd. flat.—1, Belle O'New York; 2, Matrador.
Also ran:—Our Gift, Fulover, Maid of Skye, Lady Ruby.
2 lengths.—Time, 30.29.
Win, $49.40. Forecast (5-4) Div. $266.90.
Double Event 9/10 (2-5) Div. $100.70.
Place, 1st $18.10; 2nd $11.40.

11—500 yd. flat.—1, Major; 2, Blut Moon.
Also ran:—Nocturne, Lady Whirlwind, Gleniffer, Sir Sewu.
½ lengths.—Time, 30.72.
Win, $25.30. Forecast (6-1) Div. $168.20.
Double Event 10/11 (5-6) Div. $197.70.
Place, 1st $15.40; 2nd $18.00.

12—525 yd. flat.—1, Merry Mike; 2, Ascot Mask.
Also ran:—Shady Maid, Miss Hummer, Feeldale, Nanette.
Short head.—Time, 31.34.
Win, $29.10. Forecast (5-1) Div. $115.60.
Double Event 11/12 (6-5) Div. $59.30.
Place, 1st $14.90; 2nd $10.00.

OBITUARY

Major W.R. M'D. Parr

Major William Randal M'Donnell Parr, of Mount Newton Cross Road, Saanich, Victoria, passed away on August 4 at Rest Haven, Sidney, aged 73 years.

Major Parr had a distinguished career as Commissioner of the Chinese Maritime Customs in the Far East until his retirement, and also had served with distinction in the South African War. He was born on May 7, 1865, and in 1891, while with the Customs service in China, assisted in the defence of the foreign settlement at Wuhu during the Yangtze riots. He also was on special service with the Chinese forces during the Sino-Japanese war in 1894.

During the South African War, he commanded a service company of the 3rd Royal Irish Rifles and served with the 11th Battalion Mounted Infantry from 1900 to 1903, being field officer as captain and later promoted to major.

Later Major Parr served on the Tibet Frontier Commission as Chinese Joint Commissioner, and held the Tibet Frontier Commission medal with other decorations, including Civil Rank of the Third Class, China; I.C.A. of the Double Dragon, Second Division, and South African War medal, with four clasps.

He married, in 1902, Mollie, only daughter of Canon White-Bell, M.A., of Doone County, Limerick, who survives him at the family residence. Three sons and a daughter also are left to mourn him: Randal Robert M'Donnell Parr, at present home on leave from China; John Wilton M'Donnell Parr, and Alex. Desmond M'Donnell Parr, and Mrs. Ellis, all of Victoria.

Reclamation Work in Kiangsi Sought

Attracted by the very satisfactory result of the transfer of refugees from Shanghai to Kiangsi province for land reclamation work under the auspices of the Federation of Charity Organizations, a number of non refugees here recently appeared at the Federation's office and volunteered to go to Kiangsi to engage in reclamation work, Chinese reports said yesterday.

Their request, however, was turned down by the federation officials, as the work had been mapped out for refugees only.

In August more than 500 refugees were sent by the federation to Kiangsi by way of Wenchow in Chekiang for reclamation work. Registration of the next group of refugees to be sent to Kiangsi opened yesterday.

U.S.S.R. Vice-Commissar Dismissed

Moscow, Sept. 7.

M. Boris Stomoniakov, Vice-Commissar for Foreign Affairs was dismissed from his post by a decree of the Council of People's Commissars dated August 7 and published only today.

M. Stomoniakov, of Bulgarian origin, was the Soviet trade agent in Germany and then Vice-Commissar for Foreign Trade.—Havas.

Italians May Settle Jews in Abyssinia

New Scheme Drawn Up By Rome Government

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Rome, Sept. 7.

The Government is understood to have completed a plan for the settlement of Jews in Abyssinia.

A report, which is not denied in authoritative circles, says that Jews will be settled in a zone notable for its agriculture and industrial resources. The exact location is still a secret.

It is stated that the Government deliberately refrained from mentioning Ethiopia in last week's expulsion decree, as the plan, which is expected to be published in the near future by the Ministry for Italian Africa, was not quite ready then.—Reuter.

Further Inquiry Urged

Rome, Sept. 6.

"A meticulous investigation into the infiltration of Jews in Italian industries, notably at Milan," is demanded today by the influential "Popolo d'Italia," Milan newspaper founded by Signor Benito Mussolini.

"This inquiry should be implacable insofar as Jews calling themselves Italians are concerned.

"In our corporative economic system, industry has as its basic function the attainment of all autarchic ends. But autarchy has something of the mystical and cannot be attained by people having a spiritual patriotism different from ours," the news organ concludes.—Havas.

More Japanese Troops In North China

Reinforcements Move to Various Fronts

Peiping, Sept. 7.

Japanese troop reinforcements have arrived in North China en route to the fronts, the headquarters of the Japanese Expeditionary Force in North China disclosed today.

A communiqué issued by the headquarters stated: "In order to reinforce the Japanese Expeditionary Force in North China for the purpose of carrying on military operations to the fullest extent to chastise the Chiang Kai-shek régime, the advance units of large numbers of Japanese troops from Japan arrived at Tangku on board a number of transports at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and immediately went on to their destinations."—Domei.

Boxer Rebellion Captain Dies

Long Beach, Calif., Sept. 6.

Capt. Joseph J. Meany who commanded the U.S.S. Iris in the Spanish American War and the Boxer Rebellion died today on his 66th birthday.

Capt. Meany was said to be the only civilian captain holding commands in both those conflicts. He is survived by his wife and one son.—United Press.

Formosa Shaken By Earthquakes

Central Part of Island Suffers Severe Shocks

Tokyo, Sept. 7.

Fairly severe earthquake shocks were felt all over Formosa early this afternoon, according to an announcement by the Central Meteorological Observatory here.

The central part of the island experienced the most severe shocks but no damage was reported. The centre of the quake belt was about 30 kilometres west of Karenko and Mount Noko, the observatory said.—Domei.

Flying Fortresses on Way to Honolulu

San Diego, Sept. 6.

Four of the Navy's giant "flying fortresses" took off from here today for Honolulu 24 hours ahead of schedule.

At 10.04 p.m., Lt. Aaron Putnam Storrs, in command of the "flying fortresses," said in a radio report that he was approximately 1,006 miles west of San Diego and averaging 150 miles an hour.

Lt. Storrs said he was near the half-way mark on his flight to Pearl Harbour where he expected to arrive before 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The planes left here after orders from Rear Admiral Charles Blakely on board the U.S.S. Wright en route to Honolulu. The orders said the planes should begin their flight as soon as possible after 9 a.m. today. The squadron of giant bombers got away at 1.57 p.m. The message from the Wright said weather conditions for the long flight were ideal.—United Press.

HAD AGONISING PAINS IN HER BACK

Could Not Turn in Bed

Like many other sufferers from backache and rheumatic ailments, this woman decided to try Kruschen Salts in a last attempt to obtain relief from pain. To her surprise, the pains did grow less, and in a few months the backache had disappeared. Having made sure of the results, she now writes as follows:—

"For about four months I had agonising pains in my back, and could not turn in bed. During that time I tried various remedies, but obtained no relief, and was seriously considering going into hospital. However, seeing a case similar to mine described in an advertisement for Kruschen, I thought I would try it, and was more than surprised to find the pain getting less. I have been taking Kruschen for four months, and would not be without it for anything. I must say I am free from those dreadful pains."—(Mrs.) B.C.

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FROM DAY TO DAY

MR. and Mrs. A. J. Welch sailed on Tuesday for Manila in the ss. Empress of Japan.

DR. and Mrs. N. Thorbecke left on Tuesday for Hongkong in the ss. Empress of Japan.

THERE will be a Celebration of Holy Communion in the Bubbling Well Chapel this morning at 10.30.

H.M.S. Suffolk (Capt. C. S. Sandford) arrived yesterday and berthed at the British Naval Buoys.

THE "North-China Daily News" broadcast over Station XMHD will begin at 12.45 instead of 12.40 p.m. daily.

LIEUT.-Cmdr. R. M. G. Gambier and officers of H.M. submarine Otus were guests at the weekly meeting of the Zero Club yesterday.

MR. B. M. Simansky, local U.S.S.R. Consul-General and Mr. T. F. Skvortsov, Vice-Consul, sailed on Tuesday for Hongkong in the ss. Empress of Japan.

ST. John's Pro-Cathedral, Jessfield. Holy Communion in English at 7.30 a.m. Evening Prayer in English at six o'clock. Preacher: Rev. M. H. Throop, S.T.D.

MR. Yang An-hsing, commander of the Third Bandit Suppression District under the Reformed Government, who was killed in an engagement with outlaws in Tsingpuhsien, not far from Sungkiang, in August, was posthumously honoured by the new administration yesterday. His family received a $50,000 grant, it was reported yesterday.

THE well-known Royal Mail liner Arlanza ended her seagoing career when she arrived in Southampton on Tuesday from Buenos Aires. She will sail southward to be broken up for scrap steel. The old liner sailed the South American route since she was put in service in 1911 except for service on patrol and convoy duty during the Great War. The Arlanza was damaged by a mine in 1915 but not fatally wrecked.

INAUGURATION ceremonies of the Institute of Reform, where Chinese youths will receive education embodying the principles on which the Reformed Government is founded, will be held on Saturday morning on the former site of Fuhtan University, the Shanghai "Mainichi" reported yesterday. Major-Gen. Kumakichi Harada, chief of the Special Services Section of the Japanese Expeditionary Force, will assume the presidency of the new Institute.

A REPLY to the petition of the Shanghai Coal Merchants' Association for increased foreign exchange allotments has been received from the Ministry of Finance by this body. The Ministry's reply exhorts local coal merchants to economise on fuel consumption on the one hand, and to give, in every case, preference to Chinese coal, on the other. The petition was to the effect that prevailing conditions in North China and in the interior provinces have made the transportation of coal to Shanghai difficult and in consequence, coal prices here have sky-rocketed.

THE first payment of interest on Liberty Bonds, which fell due on September 1, has been waived by many local Chinese individuals and public organisations, says the "Sin Wan Pao" A movement is on foot among local Chinese to urge that the interest be waived by all holders of the bonds in favour of the Chinese Government's war chest. The Joint Savings Society, up to date, has received from local Chinese who have waived their claims on the interest more than $1,000,000 in the form of contributions. The interest on these Bonds payable to local Chinese individuals and banks aggregates more than $5,000,000.

THE Chinese authorities at the ports of Foochow, Swatow, Ningpo, Haimen, Wenchow and at several other ports have prohibited the import of luxury articles, according to local shipping circles. Under this category are listed toilet articles such as rouge and lipsticks, cigarettes, cameras, and various other items. Representatives of the Chinese authorities in these ports board all in-coming steamers and conduct a thorough search, and such articles as are found aboard are invariably sent back to the exporting country. The measures have been adopted with a view to aiding China's foreign exchange stabilisation and to prevent the outflow of Chinese capital during the present period of national resistance.

AN orchestral concert will be given by the Municipal Orchestra in the "Alliance Francaise" Garden tonight from 9-11 p.m. (weather permitting). The public will be admitted to the Garden of the "Alliance Francaise," on concert nights only, through the gate next to the Koukaza Park entrance on Route Voyron. The programme is as follows: —

Overture "Mignon" .....Thomas
Ballet-Suite from "Lakme" .....Delibes
(a) Air de Danse-Terana
(b) Rektah
(c) Persian
(d) Coda
Symphonic Poem "Phaeton" Saint-Saens
Second Suite "L'Arlesienne" .....Bizet
(a) Pastorale
(b) Intermezzo
(c) Menuet
(d) Farandole
Three Pieces from "Cendrillon" Massenet
(a) Menuet
(b) Les Mandores
(c) Marche des Princesses
Selection from "Samson et Delila" .....Saint-Saens

REV. Brother Marcian-James, a former Director of St. Joseph's College, Hongkong, died at the French Hospital, Hongkong, on Friday, after a long illness, a few days after celebrating his 70th birthday. He was taken seriously ill at Ipoh in July but rallied and was taking a sea trip to Hongkong for his convalescence, but during the voyage he had a relapse and on his arrival in the Colony was sent to hospital. Born at Emo, Queen's County, Ireland, on August 30, 1868, Brohter Marcian entered the Christian Brothers as a young man, his first post being assistant master at the La Salle Training College, Waterford. He came to the East in 1903 and before his arrival in Hongkong had held responsible positions in Colombo and Penang with great distinction. Brother Marcian was Director of St. Joseph's College from January 16, 1921, to February 1, 1932.

British Soldier's Jump in River

Suicide Verdict Returned At Inquest on Seaforth Bandsman

A verdict that he committed suicide while temporarily insane and that death was due to asphyxia from drowning, was returned by Mr. I. T. Morris, H. M. Coroner at H. M. Court yesterday morning, when an inquest was held on Private Bert Reginald Durrant, aged 23, a member of the band of the 1st Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders, whose body was recovered from the river by the Customs River Police after he had jumped overboard from a sampan in midstream on August 31.

The first witness to give evidence, Captain Clayton Henry George of the Royal Army Medical Corps, stated that he viewed the body of deceased at the parlours of the International Funeral Directors in Kiaochow Road on Sept. 2 after it had been recovered from the river. There were no noticeable marks of violence, and the findings were consistent with those of a drowned person.

A Chinese sampan man, Shu Ah-ying stated that at 11 p.m. on August 31 he noticed a Customs Officer and a British soldier on the pontoon at the Customs Jetty. The Customs Officer signalled to him and said "Take the British soldier to the British Naval ship", following which the soldier boarded the sampan and they went alongside H.M.S. Duncan. Here the soldier motioned with his hand and told the witness to turn away and go further along.

Jumped Overboard

The sampan was then rowed to the other side of the vessel where the soldier gave witness cigarettes and told him to go further upstream. Three or four trips were made up and downstream from the naval buoys and each time the soldier gave him a cigarette.

"At 11.45 p.m." continued the sampan man, "the soldier jumped into the river." Searching for about fifteen minutes in the vicinity where he had entered the water, witness found no trace of the soldier, but in the sampan he discovered a cap, cane and a letter. He immediately reported the matter to the River Police. The letter, addressed to his brother John, was then read by Mr. Morris.

Sergeant G. Faulkes, of the Customs River Police, said that the sampan man reported the matter to him and brought a cap, belt and a letter which were later identified by the Military Police as being the property of Durrant.

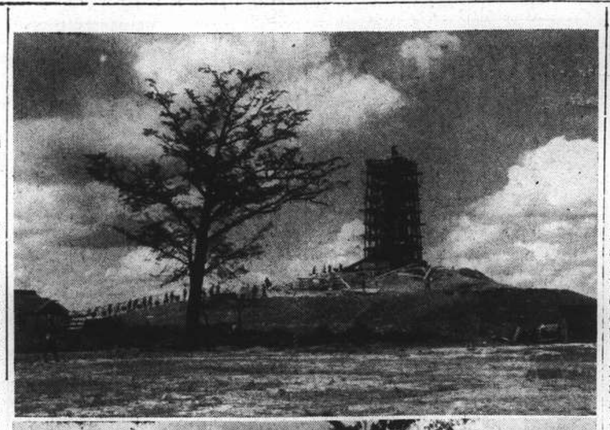
Brother's Evidence

Sergeant A. Fingerth, of the Customs River Police, gave evidence of conducting a search at the scene where Durrant had jumped overboard where no trace was found of the missing man.

Evidence of discovering the body floating in the river was given by C.P.C. 80 of the River Police who stated that he pulled it on board his sampan opposite the Nanking Road jetty.

The brother of the deceased, Private Daniel Durrant of the 1st Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders, said that he recognised the writing in the letter left in the sampan as his brother's. He had never heard him threaten to take his life.

INTENSIVE training of traffic policemen is going on in Nanking in order to reduce the large number of traffic accidents in the capital of the Reformed Government. In July and August about 60 traffic accidents were reported to the Nanking police bureau.



Memorial Tower to Japanese War Dead

An impressive memorial tower to the thousands of Japanese who were killed in the fighting around Tazang last year is being built at Tazang by Chinese soldier prisoners and will be inaugurated on October 23. Pictures show the tower in construction and Chinese soldiers at work.

Water Supplies to Cost More

Cancellation of Rebate on Present Tariffs Approved By Council

The Shanghai Municipal Council held its first meeting after the summer recess yesterday and approved the recommendation that in order to grant relief to the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd., the present rebate of 20 per cent., on existing tariffs be withdrawn.

Application was made to the Council by the Waterworks, for authority to increase its revenues owing to its inability to meet current expenses and the cost of dividends provided under the franchise due primarily to the sharp rise in the cost of materials (particularly coal), and the decline in the sterling value of the Chinese dollar.

The application was subjected to a close examination by the Acting Treasurer and Controller who reported that in his opinion relief was justified. He recommended that such relief could best be obtained at the present time by the withdrawal of the rebate, the position to be reviewed again in March 1939.

The Public Utilities Committee considered the Company's application at its meeting held on September 5 and recommended that permission be granted to the Company to abandon the 20 per cent. rebate in respect of all consumption on and after September 9, i.e., all accounts in respect of meters read on or after October 9, shall not be subject to any rebate, the position to be reviewed before March 15, 1939.

This was approved by the Council yesterday.

Bus Company Payroll Robbery

Nine Suspects Face District Court

Nine Chinese suspected of having taken part in the hold-up at the corner of Connaught and Yenping Roads on August 22 when a payroll car of the China General Omnibus Co. was stopped and $17,450 stolen were arraigned at the First Special District Court yesterday and were remanded for one week when a special hearing of the case will take place in the afternoon.

Nineteen suspects were arrested after the robbery, but ten were released owing to insufficient evidence. Two women who are alleged to have carried guns for the men were included in the accused list of accused.

It was stated in court that a further sum of $1,000 had been recovered, thus bringing the total retrieved to date to $2,504. Mr. Y. D. Wong, Municipal Advocate, prosecuted.

Young Chinese Receives Six Months' Sentence

Sentence of six months' imprisonment or the alternative of paying a fine at the rate of three dollars a day on a charge of intimidation brought by Mr. Paul L. Tsiang Municipal Advocate, at the First Special District Court yesterday, was passed on Shen Sho-chong, 22.

Shen was stated to have fired a shot during a drinking bout at a restaurant on Chekiang Road, when the party of which he was a member had consumed much liquor. After firing the shot the party broke up in haste but Shen was caught by police who had rushed to the scene.

Huge Fire Sweeps Hongkew Houses

Three Shops Destroyed, 13 Houses Damaged in Tiffin Time Outbreak

Thirteen unoccupied shops and houses suffered irreparable damage in a huge fire which occurred in Hongkew yesterday noon following a blaze in one of the shops, which quickly spread along the whole row, defying the efforts of firemen to bring it under control.

Starting at a shop situated at 183 Market St. just before 12.30 p.m., the fire spread rapidly along the whole row of unoccupied shops, and then into lanes off the road, from where the flames were carried by a strong breeze to several lanes off Yuenfong Road.

By the time the fire had reached Yuenfong Road, the first shop to catch fire had been gutted, and the rest of the block was blazing furiously. Huge palls of dense smoke were being blown across the area and flames were shooting high into the air.

Receiving a call at 12.38 three engines were despatched from the Hongkew Station, and on arrival at the scene found that the flames had gained rapidly, making it virtually impossible to save any of the first few shops which had been eaten by the conflagration.

Attacking the blaze from different points firemen from the three engines poured thousands of gallons of water into the fire and after nearly three hours' work gained control.

As a result of the fire three shops situated at 186, 188 and 190 Market St. were gutted completely, No. 192 was very badly damaged, and at No. 184 the roof and ceiling suffered from the ravages of the flames and water.

The roofs and ceilings of Nos. 182 and 180 were destroyed by the blaze, while on Yuenfong Road the drying stages and window frames were burnt at Nos. 10, 12, and 14. At Lane 170 off Yuenfong Road, a house situated at No. 15 was damaged, the roof and ceiling being scorched. The last house to suffer from the fire was No. 168 Market St. where woodwork and a drying stage were completely burnt.

No one was injured by the blaze which was one of the largest seen in the district for some time, although, at one time, it was thought that the dense smoke would harm the large crowd which had gathered in the vicinity. The wind, however, dispersed the clouds, but had the effect of wafting the huge flames towards other property with disastrous results.

All the property was unoccupied the "North-China Daily News" was informed yesterday, but the damage is expected to be great.

Nanking Road Repairs

Road repairs on the north side of Nanking Road between Fokien and Shanse Roads will commence on Saturday afternoon Sept. 10. The work is expected to be completed in about ten days. Whilst the repairs are in progress motorists and other road users are asked to avoid the use of this part of Nanking Road.

Funeral Services For Shot Girl Today

Portuguese Authorities Pursue Enquiries

Funeral services for the late Miss Louisa Maria da Cruz, who was fatally shot in her apartment at 455 Rue Lafayette on Monday night will take place at 5 p.m. today at Bubbling Well Cemetery.

The body has been removed from the French Public Mortuary, Route Delastre, to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors on Kiaochow Road. A Requiem Mass was held at 7.30 a.m. yesterday at St Pierre's Church on Avenue Dubail.

Vasco Mario Marcal, a twenty-nine year old Portuguese employee of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, who has been charged with the murder of the girl is at present detained in Ward Road gaol after having been handed over to the Portuguese Consular authorities in Shanghai, in which city he was born.

An enquiry is still being conducted by the Portuguese authorities into the tragedy, and Marcal will remain in custody until this has been completed when, the Portuguese authorities state, he will be sent to Macao to face the charge at the High Court there. Marcal will be represented by Mr. T. Rangel, local Portuguese lawyer, who, represented the Remedios brothers some years ago during the murder trial which became known as the "Shanghai Maru Trunk Murder Case."

A NATIONWIDE campaign for the "revival of the family system peculiar to Japan" was started by the Japanese National Cultural Federation in accordance with resolutions adopted at a meeting held under the auspices of the Ministry of Education. The campaign aims at the organization of an association of heads of families in every municipality which will be affiliated with a central body, so that every municipality will be "one large family" eventually.

London Markets Steadier

New Czech Proposals Reassures Exchange; Dealers Now Waiting

London, Sept. 6.

A considerable improvement in sentiment in most City circles followed the publication of the reported principles of the Czechoslovakian Government's new offer to the Sudeten Germans, although, in all markets, business continued to be chiefly professional in character.

Trading on the Stock Exchange especially brightened up, with gold minings, in particular, enjoying some measure of speculative attention which had been previously held in check by political uncertainties.

Although gold valued at £1,367,000 changed hands at the fixing the demand slackened off when the news from Prague came to hand, and, unlike the experience of late when sellers generally demanded a premium over the fixing price, speculators today actually offered gold at the fixed price.

Quieter conditions were also witnessed in the foreign exchange market. After early strengthening to 481.65 cents, the dollar reacted on profit-taking to 483.00 cents and closed at the end of the day at 482.28 cents.

The undertone of most commodities was very steady, although dealers, as in other markets, were inclined to await more concrete developments before undertaking any large-scale commitments.—Reuter.

Gen. Franco May Resign Nationalist Leadership

"Financial Times" Hints of Chance for Mediation

London, Sept. 7.

"Rumours reaching London and appearing to have some foundation claim that Gen. Francisco Franco may shortly resign his leadership of the Spanish Nationalist administration and that his place will then be taken by a moderation politician," the independent "Financial Times" writes this morning.

"In this event there might be some possibility for mediation, a possibility that the British Government are always watching.

"There appears to have been a good deal of dissatisfaction over General Franco's recent leadership and there have been also many frustrated hopes. In addition, war weariness has developed on both sides, especially because of prospects of another winter campaign.

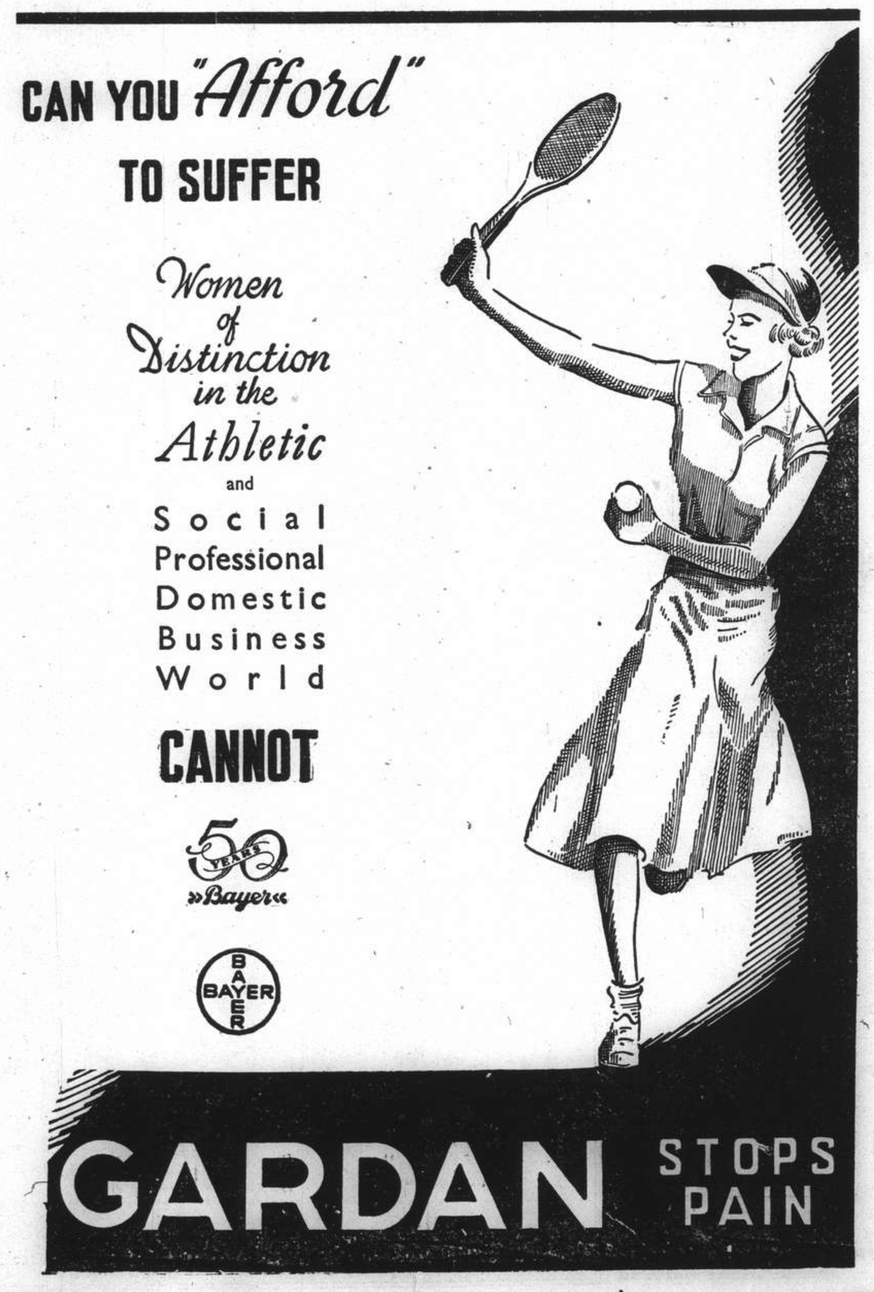
"There is even evidence of recent fraternization on the more quiet fronts in Spain," the news organ concludes.—Havas.

Taku Road Robbery Suspects Held

Alleged to have taken part in the recent Taku Road robbery when $3,700 were stolen, three suspects were brought to the First Special District Court yesterday and were remanded. As reported in the "North-China Daily News," seventeen people were arrested following extensive raids in the French Concession and Settlement early on Tuesday morning, and all these will face the court next week on charges that they were concerned in the robbery.

Three male Chinese and a woman, alleged to be robbers, were also arraigned in court, and they were remanded for further investigations to be made. It was stated that one of the suspects was a former Tsingtao policeman and that two firearms were seized during their arrests.

AIR Commodore A. T. Harris has left London for Jerusalem to take the supreme command of the British Air Forces in Palestine and Transjordan.



THE SPORTS PAGE

St. Leger to Scottish Union

Challenge Beaten by a Neck in Thrilling Finish With Pasch Taking Third Place

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 7.

TO the disappointment of thousands of his backers Pasch, owned by Mr. H. E. Morriss of Shanghai, and ridden by the champion jockey, Gordon Richards, finished a poor third today in the St. Leger, which was run at Doncaster over a distance of one mile, six furlongs and 132 yards. The classic was won by the 7-1 chance, Mr. James V. Rank's Scottish Union, Carslake up, in a thrilling finish with Sir Laurence Phillips' Challenge, which was just beaten by a neck. Pasch, 6-5 favourite, was four lengths behind Challenge, whose starting price was 100-8.

This is the second time that Scottish Union has beaten Pasch in a classic. The other occasion was the Derby, in which Scottish Union beat Mr. Morriss's much-fancied entry for second place after the French outsider, Bois Roussel, had shown the way home.

The six other starters today were Ramtapa (Beary), which was heavily backed at the last minute owing to the open optimism of its owner, Sir Abe Bailey; Pound Foolish (Jones); Glen Loan (Pat Beasley); La-li (Smirke); Foroughi (Harry Wragg), and Magic Circle (Maher).

Special place betting was 11-8 Scottish Union, and others proportionately.

An enormous crowd witnessed the race, which took place in dull weather. Visibility was extremely poor, but the going was good after rain.

As the horses paraded the light improved considerably, although it was raining slightly.

"They're Off"

At the first attempt the field got away to a fairly good start. Scottish Union, who quickly got into his stride, led on the rails from La-li, Glen Loan and Magic Circle, with Pasch and Foroughi the last pair.

After the quarter-mile post, Magic Circle dashed past Scottish Union, followed by La-li, Glen Loan, Challenge and Pound Foolish. At the half-way mark Magic Circle still led, with Pasch last, but after the mile post the favourite began to move up the outside. His progress, however, was slow.

Magic Circle was still in front entering the straight, followed by Scottish Union, Glen Loan, La-li, Pound Foolish and Pasch, but a quarter of a mile from home Magic Circle dropped back, allowing Scottish Union to lead, with Challenge and Pasch making efforts to reach him.

Pasch Weakens

Pasch was the first to weaken, leaving the race to Challenge and Scottish Union, which staged a great battle to the post. Showing better staying powers, Mr. Rank's candidate won by a neck. Magic Circle was fourth, Glen Loan fifth, La-li sixth, Pound Foolish seventh, Ramtapa eighth and Foroughi last.

The time was 3 minutes 11⅘ seconds.

It was the first St. Leger victory of the millionaire, Mr. Rank. His horse proved that his Derby form was correct, and that his running in the Eclipse Stakes at Sandown Park on July 15, when Pasch won from Lord Derby's Fair Copy and Lord Astor's Cave Man, was all wrong.

Pasch failed to stay, as many critics had predicted.

Scottish Union was joint second 7-1 favourite with Ramtapa, who once again showed his unwillingness to do on a race-course what he does in home gallops, in which he is a wonder horse.

Magic Circle, starting at 40-1, gave a remarkably good performance. The starting prices were:

6-5 Pasch
7-1 Scottish Union and Ramtapa
9-1 Pound Foolish
10-1 Glen Loan
100-8 Challenge
20-1 Foroughi and La-li
40-1 Magic Circle.

Interviewed by Reuter, Mr. Rank said he was not a betting man and had made only a small wager.

Gordon Richards told Reuter that Pasch was not suited to the very bad pace at which the race was run.

"I have nothing else to say," he added.

Fred Darling, the trainer, stated: "What beat my horse was that they went no pace. I still have no qualms about Pasch being a good horse."—Reuter.

Training Gallops On Local Track

Many Spectators Watch Early Morning Work of Shanghai Ponies

By "CHING"

Mist and matsheds were yesterday morning's handicap to getting full times done by the ponies at work on the training track which was the only one open during the morning. Still, with it all, an interesting morning's work was provided for the many present at the rails, and in the Club's stand watching the ponies at work.

Amongst those present, it was pleasing to see many Chinese members of the International Recreation Club, both as spectators in the stands, and on, the ponies backs on the track. And it is hoped that this club's members will take full advantage of the cordial invitation extended to them by the stewards of the Shanghai Race Club to participate in the Oct. racing on the Shanghai track, not only as owners and riders, but also as interested spectators as well.

Good racing is expected during October, and the more spectators there are present to see and enjoy it, the better pleased will be the stewards and members of the Shanghai Race Club.

Training Gallops

Few of the gallops during the morning were at a pace to call for details of times done, but Rye did an attractive fair time training gallop of 1¼ mile in about 2.58, with the last quarter in 32, moving well at the finish.

Newcastle also went well, doing his 1¼ mile in about 2.57.4, with his last quarter in 34. The Winsome and Hasty unstarted bay griffin with A. Noodt in the saddle went a nice mile in 2.23, last quarter 32.

The Derby winner Merrylight was going well at the finish of his gallop as were many others of this stable's ponies, especially Frostylight.

Sparkling Morn finished his slow 1¼ mile gallop in good style, and he begins to look like having a prospect of getting back to his early form, which as he proved, was championship class.

Cordon Bleu with jockey up, finished his slowpaced gallop with a nice turn of speed, having Magic Eve and Mr. Deeds with him; this latter's finish was not so pleasing. The Swan did an attractive mile, finishing with a final quarter in 31.3. Man O'Zeal did not go fast, but his style was attractive, and, still a nonwinning 1938 griffin, will be worth watching in races for these ponies during October.

J. B. Lok and T. L. Wong were both seen out during the morning on ponies, that on appearance and on the way they finished their gallops may repay watching during the next few weeks' training.

Hole in One at Hungjao

When playing over the Hungjao golf course on Saturday last, H. Cameron, a member of the Shanghai Golf Club, did the sixth hole in one stroke.

Polo Championships in U.S. Get Under Way

Cecil Smith Shoots Five Goals for Champions

Westbury, N.Y., Sept. 5.

The United States open polo championships opened here today with Old Westbury defending the pennant by winning 13-7 over Aknusti.

Old Westbury, holder of the title by a win of 11-6 over the Greentree club here last year, will meet Aurora Wednesday and the winners will enter the final on Sunday.

Cecil Smith scored seven points for Old Westbury and Aknusti's captain Charles Thomas Irvine Roark made two goals while playing a strong defensive game.—United Press.

Greentree Enters Final

Westbury, Sept. 6.

Greentree, runners-up last year, entered the final of the 1938 United States open polo championship by beating the Ramblers, 20 goals to 7, today.

Greentree lost to Old Westbury, 11-6, last year when Cecil Smith, former Texan cowboy and captain of the victors, cut loose and revealed grand form indicative of why he tops the averages with a ten-goal ranking.

Oly Westbury entered the semi-final round yesterday by ousting Aknusti, 13-7. It will oppose Aurora tomorrow and the victor will clash with the Greentree quartet Sunday for the title.—United Press.

Apostoli Knocks Out Mike Payne

San Jose, Calif, Sept. 6.

In his first appearance in the ring since losing to Young Corbett, III, Freddie Apostoli, leading middleweight contender, tonight knocked out Mike Payne of San Diego in the second round of a scheduled ten-round fight.

After losing to Young Corbett, former world welterweight champion and now among the top middleweight contenders, Apostoli was laid up for a time convalescing from his appendix operation. He weighed in tonight, however, in good form at 161 pounds. Payne tipped the beam at 160 pounds.—United Press.

L. A. Beats Sacramento In Night Game

San Francisco, Sept. 6.

With most teams in the Pacific Coast Baseball League traveling, the leading Los Angeles Angels today beat Sacramento, 11-6, while the local ball club defeated the visiting Portland Beavers, 5-4.

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	11	15	0
Sacramento	6	11	0
Portland	4	7	0
San Francisco	5	8	0

Team Standings

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Los Angeles	95	68	.583
Sacramento	91	72	.558
Seattle	87	71	.551
San Diego	84	77	.522
San Francisco	82	80	.506
Portland	73	85	.462
Hollywood	74	89	.454
Oakland	61	103	.372

—United Press.

Polo Star Serving Prison Sentence

Washington, Sept. 6.

The War Department disclosed today that Capt. McDonald Jones, star polo player, began serving a five-year term in the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga. last week.

Capt. Jones was dishonorably discharged from the Army, court-martialled at Fort Bliss, Tex. and convicted of attempted felony, conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline and conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. The War Department declined to elaborate on the case.—United Press.

Police Recreation Club Cricket Team

The following members have been selected to represent the Police 1st team against the Staff and H. Q. on the Police Ground at 1.30 p.m. Sharp on Saturday.

E. C. Baker (capt.), A. C. Barton, B. B. Boddy, A. Abbott, H. A. Sevenoaks, F. C. Woodley, F. Peasgood, D. E. Crank, J. E. Fairbairn, S. V. Gash, J. R. Dudley. Scorer: W. Hide. Umpire: F. T. Mckeown.

When Australia Beat Japan

Adrian Quist and Fumituru Nakano are pictured just before their Davis Cup singles match in the North American Zone final. Quist won by 6-3, 4-6, 9-7, 6-1.

Shanghai Amateurs Shut Out By "Fireball" Ben Fuller

Second Battalion Drive in Eight Runs in Their Last League Game; Adams to the Showers

THE Shanghai Amateurs were held scoreless by "Fireball" Ben Fuller and lost eight runs to the Second Battalion at the Race Course yesterday afternoon in a seven-inning contest. The Marines crossed the rubber thrice in the opening canto and added another five markers in the fifth frame.

George Adams, the Amateur pitcher, was driven off the mound before the first inning ended as a result of yielding three runs on four successive blows. Huebner came to the rescue and got the civilians out of hot water. But in the fifth stanza the Marines again went into action and bagged their next five runs.

The civilian team salvaged some solace, however, through the smart fielding of Jim Ward and Bill Lamneck. These two made a pair of brilliant plays in the second and third sessions which accounted for two double plays. Besides, they made some pretty assists.

Lamneck engineered the first double play after one down in the next inning. He caught a blow from Beeson and then threw Winchester out at first before the latter could return to the bag. Ward's double kill took place in the following canto. The second baseman picked Moore's grounder up, put Dietrich out at second and then snapped a smart peg to first and beat the batter.

Marines Run Wild

In the fifth frame the service nine ran wild again and it was impossible to hold them down. Winchester led the parade of runs for the second time. This time he got off with a single to left-field. Beeson followed suit. Potts rolled one to shortstop but Lamneck was blocked by Winchester, who was on his way to third. The civilian juggled the ball and the bases were loaded. Huebner issued a walk to Hawkins on purpose, forcing Winchester home. Beeson was tagged away at the plate on Dietrich's field choice. Moore flied out to Schoberg but Potts scored on the catch. Fuller walked. Sargent singled left to send Dietrich in for the last run of the day before Winchester grounded out to Lamneck on his second turn at bat.

The Second Battalion have now finished their complete schedule of 16 games, winning 12 and losing four. The defeats were three against the First Battalion and one against Headquarters. The Second nine's only chance to retain the championship will be to see the First players lose all of their three remaining contests, including today's game with the U.S.S. Asheville, which is to start at 3 p.m.

The game started ten minutes behind the scheduled time. The Amateur players came late to the scene and it was at first feared that the game would be forfeited. Fortunately George Adams arrived and Tommy Ligon was pulled out of the stands by Manager Gallop to start the Amateurs off with nine men. Owen Krause drifted into the contest at the beginning of the fifth round.

Squeeze Play Fails

Lamneck led off with a single to left-field and reached second on Huebner's sacrifice. Willie Ward bingled over second and then stole second. Lamneck tried a squeeze play and seemed safe at the plate but Umpire Rose ruled otherwise, declaring the runner out. Bernard struck out to end the Amateurs' only chance to score in the game.

The Marines began in murderous style before Adams had had time to settle down. Winchester, first man up, doubled over shortstop. Beeson singled left and both men came home on Potts' wallop. Hawkins drove one through the pitcher's box to score Potts. These shots blasted Adams off the mound.

Dietrich nipped Huebner for a hit over second-base but the latter bore down right away to whiff two opponents in a row and then forced the third to fly out.

Amateurs

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Lamneck, ss.	3	0	0	1	4	2
Huebner, rf., p.	2	0	1	1	2	0
W. Ward, lf.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Bernard, cf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
J. Ward, 2b.	3	0	0	1	3	0
Riley, c.	3	0	0	4	0	0
Ligon, 3b.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Krause, 3b.	2	0	1	1	0	0
Fielden, 1b.	2	0	1	7	0	0
Adams, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schoberg, rf.	2	0	0	2	0	0
	23	0	4	18	9	2

Second Battalion

Winchester, ss.	4	2	3	4	3	0
Beeson, cf.	4	1	2	0	0	0
Potts, rf.	4	2	1	0	0	0
Hawkins, lf.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Dietrich, 3b.	3	1	2	0	4	0
Moore, 4b.	3	0	0	2	2	0
Bollack, 1b.	3	1	1	6	0	0
Fuller, p.	2	0	0	0	4	0
Sargent, c.	3	0	1	8	0	0
	29	8	11	20	10	0

SCORE BY INNINGS

Amateurs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
2nd Battalion	3	0	0	0	5	0	x	—8

Earned runs by 2nd Battalion 3; Two base hits by Winchester 1; Stolen base by W. Ward 1; Sacrifice hits by Ruebner 1; Runs batted in by Potts 2, Hawkins 1, Moore 1, Bollack 1, Sargent 2; Winning pitcher, Fuller; Losing pitcher, Adams; First on balls off Fuller 3, Huebner 2; Struck out by Fuller 7, Huebner 3; Left on bases by Amateurs 3, 2nd Battalion 3; Double plays by Lamneck-Fielden, J. Ward-Fielden, Winchester-Moore-Bollack; Passed balls by Riley 1.

Time of Game: 1 hour 7 minutes.

Umpires: Rose (plate) and Morang (bases).

Bitter Tennis Battle In Local Semi-Final

Li and Tong Lead de Senna Costa as Light Fails

Harry K. F. Li and Poker Tong led A. S. Costa and B. V. de Senna in the semi-final round of Shanghai men's senior doubles championship by two sets to one 6-4, 9-7, 3-6 and 5-3 in the fourth yesterday on the S.L.T.A. court before darkness set in and broke up the match.

The Chinese held a match-point at 40-30 on Tong's service in the eighth game of the unfinished fourth set. But the Chinese netted an easy return to allow the opponents to reach deuce and then reel off the next two points, thereby causing the games to stand at 5-3. Through mutual agreement play was abruptly ended and will be resumed tomorrow, starting at 5 p.m., at the same place.

The first set saw the Portuguese pair win the first three games. Costa served first and was followed by Li. But Tong woke to life in the fourth game and assisted Li to deadlock the score by taking three in a row. Senna won the fourth to put his side in the lead again. However, Tong's delivery was superb and he encountered no trouble to go on a second spree, winning three games in succession and bringing a close to the opening set at 6-4.

The Portuguese couple made another good start in the second session when Tong lost his first service game after one-all. Senna won the fourth to obtain a 4-1 advantage.

The third set started with the teams breaking each other's service in the first four games. Li won the fifth but Costa and Senna volleyed beautifully in the next four games. The Chinese were totally upset by the turn of luck and trailed 6-3.

Things again went wrong for the Portuguese players as soon as the fourth session got under way. Li and Tong took the first three games dropped two and gained as many to build a comfortable lead of 5-2. Tong broke down after holding a match point at 40-30. He drove Costa's return into the net to make the score deuce. The Chinese lost control and yielded the next pair of points before play was stopped.

Cubs Climb Into Second Place

Cincinnati Reds Beaten By Cards; Giants Win In Cinema Style

New York, Sept. 6.

With the St. Louis Cardinals beating the Cincinnati Reds, 8-0, the Chicago Cubs climbed into the second berth in the National League today without playing a game.

The Cubs and the league leading Pittsburgh Pirates were idle but this fact did not prevent the Bruins from overtaking the Reds.

By blanking the Detroit Tigers, 6-0, the Cleveland Indians deadlocked the Boston Red Sox for second place honours in the American League. The Indians climbed back into second place because the Red Sox bowed to the Washington Senators, 7-5.

Coming through with three runs in the eighth inning for a total of eight, the Cards sent Ray Davis to the showers and won the game against the Reds. Don Padgett smashed out two doubles.

Thrilling Finish

Compiling four runs in the second inning, the Brooklyn Dodgers trimmed the Philadelphia Phillies, 6-4. Ernie Koy cracked out a double and two singles.

Scoring four runs against three in the tenth inning, the New York Giants defeated the Boston Bees in the day's most thrilling game.

The Giants tied the Bees in the eighth by scoring one marker. In the extra inning the Bees forged ahead by pushing three over the plate. The Giants, however, came back strongly and scored four runs to win, 6-5.

Alex Kampouris led the batting parade with a homer and two singles. Ted Moore and Mel Ott also poled out four-baggers.

Travis' Hot Pace

Cecil Travis, the American League's leading batter, kept up his hot pace by connecting for a double and two singles to lead the Senators to 7-5 over the Boston Red Sox. The Washington team won when it scored two runs in the eighth inning. Jimmy Foxx rapped out a home run for the losers.

Cutting loose for five runs in the seventh inning, the Chicago White Sox crushed the St. Louis Browns, 8-2. Lawrence Rosenthal led the batters with a triple and a single.

The Indians finished off the Tigers by scoring four runs in the eighth inning, winning eventually, 6-0.

National League

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	6	9	3
Philadelphia	4	7	1

Batteries: Tamulis and Shea; Hallahan, Johnson, Passeau, Davis and Atwood.

St. Louis	8	7	1
Cincinnati	0	5	1

Batteries: C. Davis and Owen; R. Davis, Vander Meer, Cascarella and Lombardi.

Boston	5	10	1
New York	6	11	4*

Batteries: Lanning, Shoffner, Reis and Lopez; Schumacher, Coffman and Danning.

*Ten innings.

American League

Cleveland	6	10	0
Detroit	0	4	1

Batteries: Feller and Hemsley; Eisenstat and York.

St. Louis	2	8	1
Chicago	8	11	0

Batteries: Cole and Sullivan; Stratton and Tresh.

Boston	5	14	1
Washinton	7	11	1

Batteries: Wilson, and Desautels, Peacock; Montegudo and Ferrell.

Team Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	75	52	.591
Chicago	71	58	.550
Cincinnati	71	59	.546
New York	70	59	.543
Boston	65	62	.512
St. Louis	63	67	.485
Brooklyn	58	70	.453
Philadelphia	40	86	.317

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	89	40	.690
Boston	74	53	.583
Cleveland	74	53	.583
Detroit	65	63	.508
Washington	64	66	.492
Chicago	53	69	.434
St. Louis	45	81	.357
Philadelphia	44	83	.346

—United Press.

"Daffy" Dean Recalled By Cardinals

Bad Pitching Arm Said Ready for Work

St. Louis, Sept. 6.

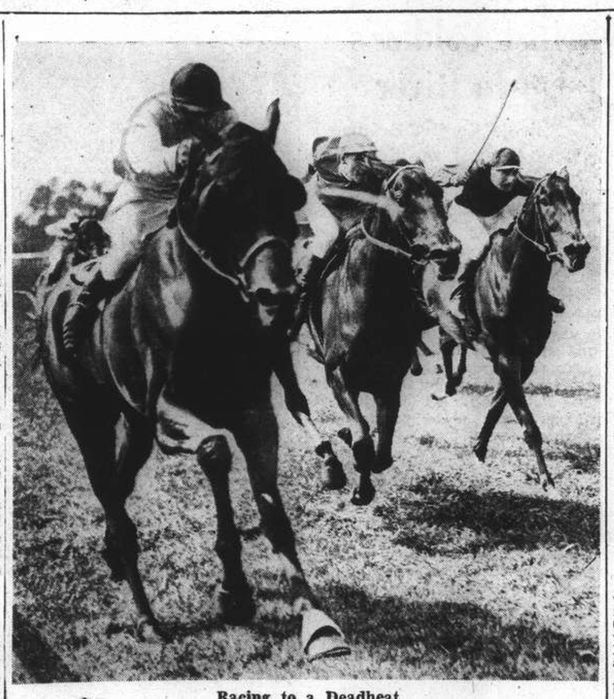
The St. Louis Cardinals recalled Paul Dean today and the former star pitcher will arrive here Thursday.

"Daffy" Dean, brother of the talkative Dizz Dean, has been in exile this season because of a bad arm, which apparently has sufficiently healed to allow him to do mound duties again.

"Daffy," who won twenty games in 1935 and who hurled a no-hit no-run game against the Cincinnati Reds two years ago, has been suffering with arm trouble for two seasons. He only twirled approximately half the season last year.

Transferred to Houston, the elder Dean was released by the Texas squad. The St. Louis Cardinals also released him.

The recalling of Paul, however, indicates that the Cards are planning to use him in their final drive.—United Press.



Racing to a Deadheat

Lost Scent (Gethin) (centre) and Mickey Mouse (Beary) overtaking Warren Hill to deadheat for first place in the King's Handicap at Windsor recently. The picture was taken just before the finish.

Cricket Interport For Shanghai

Hongkong Team to Arrive First Week in October; Week-end Plans

It is now fairly definite that Shanghai will entertain Hongkong for the annual Interport Cricket match between these two rivals, sometime in October. Pending further news from Hongkong it is thought probable that the visiting XI will arrive on or about October 8, and so be able to play on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, the latter being a holiday (Double Tenth). Arrangements are still tentative and until further news is received from Hongkong, the full programme will not be known.

No Interport Cricket was held last year in view of the hostilities and Shanghai informed Hongkong in the early part of this season that it was unable to send a team down, owing to adverse circumstances prevalent here.

It is interesting to note that since the beginning of the series in 1886, Hongkong has won 18 matches, Shanghai 17 while two were drawn. Hongkong's strength this year is not known, but such well-known cricketers as Pearce and Fincher and others who have impressed on previous occasions will no doubt be coming here, and strong as Shanghai is this year, the result is by no means a foregone conclusion. It must be remembered that Shanghai always holds a slight advantage over Hongkong, in that, whereas October marks the close of the local season, the opposite is the case in Hongkong.

The annual cricket match between Ewo and the Shanghai Waterworks will be held today and tomorrow. The game will be played on the S.C.C. small ground, commencing at 4.30 p.m. on both days. Keen rivalry is expected with the Waterworks apparently fielding a better team—on paper.

Teams will be as follows:

S.W.W.:—D. W. Leach (capt.), R. O. Baker, J. C. Boldero, J. F. Burford, F. R. L. Carey, E. P. Geere, R. Lock, A. W. Pettit, R. C. Veir, P. E. Young, B. A. Wolnizer.

"EWO":—Comdr. F. H. E. Skyrme (capt.), G. Puncheon, A. A. White, S. R. Thorneley, E. H. Brazel, R. Brandt, B. H. McMichael, A. Gutteriez, I. M. Hutchison, L. Garland, P. I. Leefe.

Umpire: T. A. T. Begg.

Week-end Matches

An S.C.C. XI will oppose H.M.S. Suffolk on Saturday afternoon on the S.C.C. ground and an interesting game is expected. The Suffolk was in Weihaiwei during Shanghai's trip to that port and shared in providing the local representatives with a really fine holiday. Her return here will be most welcome and old friendships will be renewed. Mid. Wilson will probably be the greatest threat to the S.C.C. XI and it is hoped that he will have more luck than he did in the Weihaiwei series.

Another annual match will be Sunday when the S.C.C. will put out a representative team against the Shanghai Race Club. The teams are fairly even in strength and a good game will undoubtedly be the outcome. This match will be played on the S.C.C. ground.

H.M.S. Suffolk, taking full advantage of her stay here, will be entertained by the S.R.C. on Sunday on the latter's ground. The Recs will not be able to put up their best XI owing to a number of absentees, but a sufficiently strong team will be fielded to give the Suffolk a good match.

The Knock-out Competition 2nd round will continue on October 17 and 18 when the following teams will compete in the semi-finals: Colts, Tyros, Stragglers and Police.

Home Soccer Results

London, Sept. 6.

The following are the results of League soccer matches played today:

FIRST DIVISION

Grimsby Town 2, Portsmouth 1

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Rochdale 1, Doncaster Rovers 1
Southport 1, York City 1.—Reuter.

Gloucester Defeated by Sussex Side

Parks Brothers Each Score A Century

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 7.

With the Parks brothers each contributing a century, Sussex trounced Gloucester by seven wickets in their match which ended yesterday.

Jim Parks scored 118 in the first innings, while his younger brother, Harry, made 119 not out in the second.

Hammond, the England skipper, reached three figures for Gloucester with a flawless 116.

Owing to rain no decisive result emerged from the match at Folkestone between the Australians and Sir Pelham Warner's XI.

The champions, Yorkshire, and the M.C.C. also failed to come to a definite conclusion.

Hutton, the record-breaker, scored yet another century, making 106 not out in the second innings.

Details:

At Folkestone—the Australians drew with Sir Pelham Warner's XI. Australians 390 (Barnes 91, Barnett 82, Waite 60) and 327 for seven declared (Pingleton 51 not out). Sir Pelham Warner's XI 223 (Ames 78, Ward seven for 112) and 38 for no wicket.

At Gloucester—Sussex beat Gloucester by seven wickets. Gloucester 488 (Hammond 116) and 156 for five declared. Sussex 341 (Jim Parks 118, Cox 102) and 306 for three (Harry Parks 119 not out).

At Scarborough—Yorkshire drew with the M.C.C. M.C.C. 345 (Wyatt 149) and 132 for four declared. Yorkshire 221 and 222 for two (Hutton 106 not out).—Reuter.

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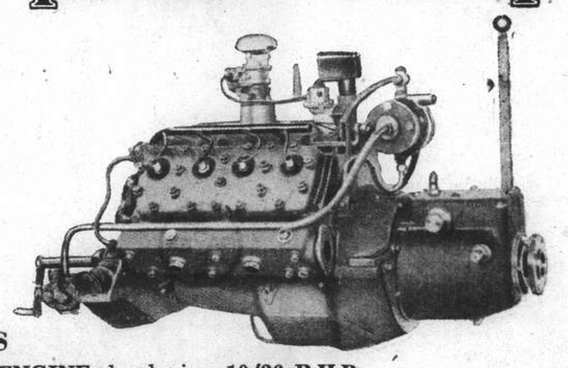

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Battle For Tehan Watched From Mountaintop

Japanese Planes Constantly Active Over Chinese Defence Lines; Heavy Artillery Bombardment

FROM REUTER'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Nanchang, Sept. 7.

THE present Japanese drive towards Tehan is developing into one of the fiercest engagements in the present hostilities. Natural defences in the hills, all overgrown with thick foliage, make any attack a long and difficult process.

Japanese aircraft and artillery can do much to upset the morale of the Chinese forces, and blast them out of certain positions, but for a final assault charges with bayonets and hand-grenades up the slopes and through the thickets are needed, and in this type of warfare the superior numbers of the Chinese necessarily prove more effective than in the open country.

I was able to watch the opening stages of the Japanese offensive from a magnificent vantage-point on the top of Kuling Mountain, 3,500 feet above the surrounding countryside.

In company with two other pressmen, we were the only foreigners allowed to proceed to Kuling since the fall of Kiukiang.

After obtaining permission from the Chinese military authorities, the party set out for the only path up Kuling mountain which could still be used—a goat track up the southern slopes of the mountain.

This necessitated proceeding due north from Tehan, almost through the Chinese front line defences.

As we started, the Japanese were in the process of launching a preliminary bombardment.

Many Japanese Planes

There was not five minutes of the day when we were out of sight or hearing of Japanese 'planes, which were harassing the Chinese with a relentless barrage of bombs and machine-gun fire.

We ourselves were frequently obliged to take cover, once hiding for over half-an-hour while nine bombers subjected the surrounding area to a heavy bombardment.

Finally, we reached the foot of the Lushan Mountains, and here we embarked on a gradual climb up the slopes to Kuling.

At this point, the menace of the aeroplanes became less, since the wooded slopes provided plenty of cover, while the few aircraft which passed overhead appeared to be engaged only in scouting.

Down the steep track between bamboo glades, tramping along in the hot sun, came a weary and endless procession of refugees from Kuling, carrying their babies and their belongings.

Many of them, obviously, were small trades-folk, unused to walking and carrying loads.

Intermingled with the refugees were a few wounded and sick Chinese soldiers, some shaking with malaria, and hardly able to walk.

At Kuling

Kuling was reached by moonlight, and the roar of the guns, and the rattle of machine-guns below sounded strangely incongruous as the party traversed the quiet lanes towards the bright lights of the little town, not five miles from the front line trenches in the valley.

More incongruous still it was to find a large body of foreign residents living a peaceful and well-ordered existence in the former popular holiday resort, now transformed into a mountain eyrie overlooking the battlefield.

All the foreign residents are safe, and none desire to leave.

Kuling is comparatively quiet and has not been affected by the war, residents declared, except for a few mad days after the fall of Kiukiang.

Then, 20,000 Chinese refugees rushed up the mountain, crowding all the streets and lanes, and bringing cholera with them—a scourge which previously was unknown in the quiet mountain resort.

Heavy rain, with cool weather, prevented the outbreak from spreading.

Many refugees had been sent to Nanchang, and others were leaving at the rate of 2,000 daily. Only about 10,000 Chinese remained in the town.

Bombardment Again

On the following morning, the Japanese bombardment began again, and this time it was even fiercer than on the day before.

Sitting on the verandah of the bungalow belonging to Mr. W. Kulartz, a German resident, I looked down upon an endless procession of Japanese bombers and pursuit 'planes, looking strangely weird below me, instead of above, as was usual, with the tops of their wings flashing in the sunlight. The 'planes were strafing the Chinese positions.

Every now and again the Chinese would try to shoot down the aeroplanes with rifle and machine-gun fire.

The aeroplane barrage was shortly supplemented by artillery fire.

Through field-glasses, I watched shells bursting in the valley beneath, each one exploding slightly beyond the last in a sort of gradual leap-frog as the artillery found the range.

The shells then began bursting regularly around the Chinese positions in the valley, and against the hill slopes where the Chinese were holding positions in the woods.

Far away, like a silvery snake across the horizon, the Yangtze River could clearly be glimpsed.

I was able to count 41 large Japanese ships, apparently composed for the most part of transports and destroyers at anchor.

Twenty-five of them were at anchor off Kiukiang, and the rest were off Juichang, being surrounded by smaller craft.

A vessel, presumed to be the Wenchow, was clearly visible at the A.P.C. Installation, but the British and American gunboats Cockchafer and Monocacy could not be picked out.

After we had spent 24 hours in Kuling, the Japanese bombardment increased in intensity, and part of the Chinese lines was apparently wavering.

We decided to return to Nanchang before the infantry attack started, which might result in our being completely cut off.

The journey back was hazardous, but there were no unfortunate consequences, and we are now back in Nanchang, safe—for the time being, at any rate.—Reuter.

DR. HU SHIH, well-known Chinese philosopher, and formerly Dean of the College of Arts and Letters of the Peking University, Peiping, is mentioned for the post of the next Chinese Ambassador to Washington, says the "Ta Wan Pao."

Queen Wilhelmina at Amsterdam New Church

Splendid Climax to Great Celebrations in Holland

Amsterdam, Sept. 6.

As a climax to a week of festivities marking the fortieth jubilee of her reign, Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands this morning walked into the crowded ancient New Church of Amsterdam where she was crowned queen in 1898.

The Queen was followed by the Crown Princess Juliana, who was escorted by her consort, Prince Bernhard.

As the Queen walked into the church a large choir burst into song. The famous conductor, Professor Mengelberg, conducted the orchestra. The ceremony ended with a mass singing of the national anthem.

The Queen, replying to speeches of homage in Parliament by Dr. Hendrik Colijn, the Premier, ended with "sunshine unavoidably throws a shadow also passing over us. With great and strong confidence and strong confidence and heads high we await the future."

Ten thousand representatives of Holland's eleven provinces paid homage to the popular Queen by marching past the Royal Palace. They carried banners and bands marched ahead of the different provincial delegations.—United Press.

London Balloon Barrage Squadron Tested

Sir Kingsley Wood Sees Kidbrooke Demonstration

London, Sept. 6.

Simultaneously with the departure of the Home Fleet for North Sea manœuvres, Sir Kingsley Wood, Air Secretary, today made his first inspection of one squadron of London's anti-aircraft balloon barrage at Kidbrooke, south-east of London where the No. 1 "Balloon Centre" has been established.

After watching auxiliary airmen being instructed in knotting and splicing and working the mechanism which inflates the balloons, Sir Kingsley saw a kite balloon taken from a hangar, fixed to a winch mounted on a motor truck and hoisted to maximum height. The maximum height is a military secret.

Ten similar squadrons eventually will surround London, each having an undisclosed number of similar kite balloons with 20,000 cubic feet capacity. Each balloon is attached to a winch truck accompanied by a trailer carrying iron hydrogen containers.

Because of official secrecy regarding the anti-aircraft defence mechanism, however, neither Sir Kingsley nor the crowds which surrounded the depot saw the steel curtains which will be suspended between the balloons in the event of air attacks.

The purpose of the balloon barrage is to force the enemy planes to such a height that they will be unable to aim their bombs accurately.—United Press.

Gangster's Book-Keeper Speaks Against Hines

Evidence of Payments for Tammany Leader Given

New York, Sept. 6.

Further evidence that James J. Hines, former Tammany Hall leader, received weekly sums of money to protect the US$100,000,000 lottery racket conducted by the late "Dutch" Schultz and his associates was given in court today by Mr. Harry Schoenhaus, a book-keeper of the murdered gangster.

The book-keeper testified that he assigned money to Hines on behalf of the Schultz gang every week. He said on several occasions he personally had paid Hines the money. He testified that he usually assigned US$500 and sometimes bigger sums to Hines weekly.

The sensational trial of Hines on charges of protecting the lottery racket, forcing judges to drop cases against Schultz gangsters and obtaining money from Schultz for the purpose of conducting political campaigns to achieve his own desires neared its end with the conclusion of the book-keeper's testimony.

It was believed that Mr. Thomas Dewey, District Attorney, would wind up the case for the State this week.—United Press.

Further Blow Struck at Oil Firms in Mexico

Supreme Court Rules Huge Labour Compensations

Mexico City, Sept. 7.

Under a ruling delivered by the Supreme Court, expropriated oil companies in Mexico have been ordered to pay workers, in round figures, £6,000,000 in wages and emoluments because they are held to have broken collective labour contracts by their refusal to accept the award of the official Arbitration and Conciliation Board.

The verdict, which hits the Mexican Eagle Oil Company, a British concern, to the extent of £4,000,000, was anticipated in local oil circles, who have no doubt that it will be ignored pending a showdown on the legality of the major issue of expropriation.—Reuter.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Whangpoo Ferry Operating Again

Under Japanese auspices the Whangpoo ferry is operating between Shanghai and Pootung using the ferry boats once owned by the City Government ferry service.

Jerusalem Grand Mufti Active

Britain Seeks French Action in Syria to Stop Arab Terrorism

London, Sept. 7.

Activities of the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem, now a refugee on Syrian soil, is causing concern in official circles here as he is attempting to stir up Arab agitation against the plan for the partition of Palestine.

It is reported that the Mufti received frequent visits from agitators who came to receive orders.

The French Government recently informed London that it had doubled the frontier posts between Syria and Palestine to curb these activities and had also taken measures of control in ports to stop the illegal entry of undesirable elements.

Discussions are taking place between London and Paris on means to curb these activities still further.

The main difficulty for France lies in her respect for the right of shelter for political refugees.

Responsible circles here are also concerned over the traffic of arms on the Palestine frontier, since arms, mostly of German manufacture, are steadily coming into rebel hands.

Furthermore, there are indications that Italy has not fully abandoned her propaganda in Moslem states despite the Anglo-Italian agreement to this effect.—Havas.

Police Arrest Band in Tiberias

Jerusalem, Sept. 7.

After a dramatic five-hour motor car chase, the police succeeded today in capturing a band of terrorists in the Tiberias region.

The Bandits had murdered a Jewish merchant and fled in a car.

A clash between two rival terrorist bands in the Hebron district caused heavy losses on both sides. The two bands were equally anxious to loot an Arab village and this caused the clash.—Havas.

German National Prizes Awarded for 1938

Motor Traffic and Aircraft Development Recognized

Nuremberg, Sept. 7.

The award by the Fuehrer and Reichs chancellor of three German national prizes for 1938, each amounting in value to Rm. 100,000, was announced last night by Dr. Josef Goebbels, Reichs Minister for Propaganda, at a session of the National Socialist Party Congress on cultural affairs.

One prize was awarded to Dr. Fritz Todt, Inspector General of German traffic routes the second prize to Dr. Ferdinand Porsche, motor car constructor and designer of the "People's Car," while the third prize was divided equally between Dr. Ernst Heinkel and Dr. Willi Messerschmitt, Germany's two most successful aeroplane builders.

The German national prizes were awarded for the first time at last year's Reich Party Congress. This German national award was instituted by the Fuehrer on January 30, 1937, as a counterpart to the Nobel Prize after the Fuehrer had forbidden all Germans for all time to accept the Nobel Prize because in 1936 the Nobel Peace Prize was awarded to the German, Herr Karl von Ossietzki, previously convicted of high treason to his fatherland. Karl von Ossietzki has since died.

Dr. Ferdinand Porsche is a native of the Sudeten German township of Maffersdorf near Reichenberg in German Bohemia. As a young man Dr. Persche attracted great notice by his invention of an electrically driven automobile shown at the World Exhibition in Paris in 1900.—Trans-Ocean.

Mrs. Haldane to Tour China

Object of Trip Outlined; Fight for Freedom Admired

London, Sept. 7.

The China Campaign Committee gave a farewell reception yesterday at the China Institute in honour of Mrs. Charlotte Haldane, wife of Professor Haldane, of University College, London, and the author of several publications, who will leave by air for Hongkong on September 9 on a tour of China.

Interviewed, she said the three main objects of her trip were to bring home to England "China's superb effort against the Japanese invasion and the need of our helping her actively;" to study the development and position of women in China and by flying to China to show "our people that China is not so far away."

Mrs. Haldane is partly going on behalf of the "World's Women's Committee to Fight War." She will interview General and Madame Chiang Kai-shek and Madame Sun Yat-sen.

She will take gifts from Mrs. C. R. Attlee, wife of the Labour Opposition leader in the House of Commons; Lady Layton, wife of the editor of the "Economist" and chairman of the "News-Chronicle"; and other well-known women liberals.—Reuter.

Moscow Celebrates World "Youth Day"

Resolutions Sympathize with Chinese, Spanish Peoples

Moscow, Sept. 7.

International "Youth Day" was celebrated in Moscow yesterday, when thousands of Soviet youth marched through the city to the Red Square.

The procession carried banners, placards and portraits of M. Josef Stalin and other Government leaders.

Resolutions were passed expressing solidarity with the "heroic peoples of Spain and China," and "a firm resolve to struggle for peace and against war and Fascism, and to defend the Fatherland against the encroachments of the enemy from wherever he may come."—Reuter.

Count of Covadonga Bleeds to Death

Car Accident in Miami Proves Fatal to Former Heir of Spanish Throne

Miami, Fla., Sept. 7.

Alfonso, Count of Covadonga and ex-Prince of the Asturias, eldest son of ex-King Alfonso of Spain, was fatally injured here yesterday when he was passenger in a car which struck a telephone pole in avoiding a lorry.

He was rushed to hospital suffering from a fractured right leg and severe head injuries, but owing to the loss of blood caused by haemophilia, he died shortly afterwards.

The driver of the car, Miss Mildred Gaydon, escaped with bruises.

Ex-King Alfonso, who is in Rome, was informed of his son's death by telephone.

Thirty-one years of age, the Count had been a victim of haemophilia (bleeding) all his life. It circumscribed his every activity and kept him always in fear of his life, since he was liable to bleed to death from even the smallest wound.

Renunciation of Throne

He renounced his title as heir presumptive to the Spanish throne in 1933 when he married the daughter of a wealthy Cuban commoner, Edelmira Sampedro-Ocejo. It was then that he took the title of the Count of Covadonga.

Born on May 10, 1907, the first son of King Alfonso XIII and Queen Victoria Eugenie of Spain, the Count's full name was Alfonso Pio Christine Eduardo Francisco Guillermo Carlos Enrique Fernando Antonio Venancio.

He was not 24 hours old when he was proclaimed Prince of the Asturias and Heir Apparent to the throne of Spain. On the very day of his birth, the 21-year-old King Alfonso presented him to the assembled Cabinet Ministers, members of the Diplomatic Corps and the Grandees of Spain, announcing according to tradition: "My Lords, the continuation of the dynasty is assured."

From his earliest years, his training and education were directed towards preparing him to rule the country. Too delicate to go to school, he was placed in the charge of eminent tutors, including his father's former tutor, General Conde del Loriga.

The Count of Covadonga

Efforts to Be Soldier

Despite his haemophilia, the young Prince became a soldier at the early age of thirteen. Entering the King's Regiment, the First Infantry, he swore allegiance to the flag at a ceremony attended by considerable pomp and splendour.

It was not long before he was promoted to the rank of corporal, then to sergeant and finally he was awarded his commission. He made valiant efforts to lead a normal life, even attempting to take part in the regimental marches and manœuvres but it was found that his health would not permit such activities and he was obliged to abandon all idea of indulging in them.

He also became a scoutmaster, but could take no part in the exercises.

On his seventeenth birthday, in accordance with Spanish law, the young Prince was declared of age and given his own apartments in the Royal Palace.

During the next two years, as Prince of the Asturias, he took part in many State functions. Then his health broke down completely. In 1926, his life was despaired of and from then until his marriage in 1933, he hardly ever led anything approaching a normal life.

Royal Family Flees

When revolution came in 1931 and the royal family were obliged to flee the country, the Prince of the Asturias left on a stretcher the land he had expected one day to rule. For the next two years, his time was divided between Paris where he was near his family, and Lausanne, where he went for treatment.

While at Lausanne, he met his future wife, Senorita Edelmira Sampedro Ocejo, the 27-year-old daughter of a wealthy Cuban sugar planter. Their marriage, in 1933, caused a rift in the family, and although his mother quickly forgave him his love match, his father refused to be reconciled.

In addition to exacting from him a renunciation of his claims to the Spanish throne, ex-King Alfonso XIII reduced his eldest son's allowance to such an extent that the latter, after his honeymoon, was compelled to move into a cheaper hotel.

In November 1934, almost exactly eighteen months after their marriage, the departure of his wife for New York en route to join her family in Cuba, gave rise to rumours of an impending separation. The reports were emphatically denied by the Count and finally died when the couple were re-united in New York in May of the following year.

Later, they went to Havana. While there, the Count's health again broke down. Following the bursting of an abscess on the leg, bleeding started and once more his life was despaired of. Continual blood transfusions and electro-therapic treatment, however, saved him and after some weeks of convalescence, he was able to leave Cuba for New York.

In 1936, after many more rumours of disagreement, the marriage was annulled, and last year the Count married Senorita Martha Rocaforo, daughter of a Havana dentist.—Reuter.

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BANK'S SELLING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8 7/16	$ 28.44
U.S. $100 @ 16 15/16	$590.41

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8⅝	$27.826
U.S. $100 @ 17⅜	$575.53
London—demand	8⅝
4 months' sight credits	8⅝
4 months' sight docts	8 11/16
6 months' sight credits	8 21/32
6 months' sight docts	8 23/32
New York—demand	U.S. $17⅜
4 months' sight credits	17⅝
4 months' sight docts	17½
Paris—4 months' sight docts	Fcs. nom.

INTERBANK CLOSING SELLING RATES

Sterling .... 8 17/32 U.S. $17⅛
Hongkong/London 1/3

Chartered Bank

Canadian $100 @ 16 15/16=$590.41

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Netherland Guilders	Buying	32¾
Java Guilders	"	32¼
Netherlands Guilders	Selling	31½
Java Guilders	"	31½

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Other Quotations

Berlin-Hamburg T.T. $100=Rm. 42¼
$100=Reg. Mk. 93.00

Local Exchange Report

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INTER BANK CASH DELIVERY

	Highest	Lowest
£	8 9/16	8 17/32
U.S. G.$	17 3/16	17 3/32
Yen	—	—

MERCHANTS CLOSING RATES

SELLING			BUYING
Cash		September	
£ T.T.	8 17/32	4 mXs. l.c.	8⅝
G.$ T.T.	17⅛	4 m/s. l.c.	17 5/16
Fcs. T.T.	633	4 m/s.	653
Rs. T.T.	47⅝	7 d/s.	48⅛

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	19 1/16	18 13/16
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	42¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	50.06	—

Bombay offtake 25 bars. Market steady.

London silver was 1/16 down for ready and unchanged forward, being 19 1/16 for ready and 18 13/16 forward. New York was unchanged at 42¾ and Bombay was 3 annas up at 50,06.

It was reported there was a little spot selling. Business very small. Market steady. After the official fixing the market remained quietly steady, with the American Trade a small buyer at the fixed rate.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 8½ sterling and 17 1/16 U.S.$.

The Inter-bank market opened with sellers for cash at 8½ sterling and 17 1/16 U.S.$ and later there were good sellers for both Cash and September, which carried the rates to 8 9/16 sterling and 17 1/16 U.S.$ for cash, and 8½ sterling and 17 1/16 U.S.$ for September. At the close the market was a shade easier with sellers at:—

8 17/32	sterling	17 5/32	U.S.$	Cash
8 17/32	"	17 3/32	"	Sept.
8 19/32	"	16 31/32	"	Oct.

Foreign Exchanges

London £ Sterling T. T. on: Sept. 6.

New York	482.28	Shanghai	8¾d N
Paris	178.31	Bombay	1/5 61/64
Berlin	12.02½	Hongkong	1/3 3/32
Amsterdam	8.92	Singapore	2/4
Brussels	28.53	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	100.00	" (buying)	unq.
Milan	91.65	C'slovakia	139.87
Berne	21.30¾		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.04	Japan	28.15
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	17.30
Holland	54.06	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.70 7/16	C'slovakia	3.45⅜
Brussels	16.90	Hungary	19.80
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.74½
S'zerland	22.64½	Yugo Slavia	2.33
Sweden	24.87	Greece	0.88⅝
Norway	24.24	Finland	2.14
Denmark	21.52	Bulgaria	1.25
Montreal	99.710	Poland	18.87
Brazil	5.90		

London	4.82⅛
" Bankers, 60 days bills	4.81 29/32
" Commercial 60 days bills	4.81 25/32
Buenos Aires Paper	29.91
Buenos Aires Paper, Market Rate	25.30
Montreal on London	4.83½

—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London: Sept. 6.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 9/16%
Bank Bills,	6 months	0 11/16%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	2¾%
Call money		0½%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0½%B
	0 7/16%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0 9/16%B
	0½%A
Call money	1%

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

	Sept. 6	Sept. 7
Antamok	.38	.38
Atok	.37	.37
Benguet Consolidated	11.50	11.60
Consolidated Mines	.0035	.0035
Demonstration	.31	.30
Mine Operations	.13	.13
San Mauricio	.62	.62
United Paracale	.37	.37

Turnover: 230,000 Pesos.
Shares Index: (closing prices) 86.82.

Paris Bourse

Paris, Sept. 6.

Favourably impressed by the new proposals submitted by the Czech Government to the Sudetens, the market on the Paris Bourse this morning opened firm in most issues.

During the session, profit-taking cut into opening gains. The market closed irregular in national stocks and firm in internationals.

Rentes gained fractions, banks were firm, electricities and steels calm but resistant, and chemicals strong.—Havas.

Reichsmark Quotations

Berlin, Sept. 6.

The Reichsmark was quoted today at Paris 1480, London 12.04.

Paris quoted the Pound Sterling at 178.30 to 178.35 and the U.S. Dollar at 36.96 to 36.98.—Trans-Ocean.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

There is little of interest to report on the half day's trading. The tone of the market was steady to firm with interest chiefly centered in Kaipings and Exploration, the former improved to $24.25 while business was recorded in the latter at $5.30.

Official Averages

1938 High	1938 Low		Today's Average	Change
142.33	103.44	General	132.48	—0.03
139.71	95.55	Rubbers	138.45	unch.

Volume 21,274 shares, 10 Bonds.

Morning Session

OFFICIAL

		CASH
	6/9/38	
1,000	Ziangbe	$ 14.00
	7/9/38	
300	Ziangbe	$ 14.00
1,800	Kaiping	$ 24.25
3,000	Exploration	$ 5.25
1,000	China Realty	$ 0.50
100	S. W. W. "C"	$ 26.00
8	S'hai Power (Pref)	$122.50
500	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 19.80
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10	S. W. W. "A" £20	$600.00
100	S'hai Land	$ 7.90
3,000	Exploration	$ 5.25
1,700	Exploration	$ 5.30
3,000	Cheng	$ 0.45
800	New Eng. (Pref)	$ 7.50
	11.20 AUCTION	
1,000	Cheng	$ 0.43
	FROM 11.20 AUCTION TILL CLOSING	
$1,000	S'hai Power 5½% Debs.	$ 80.00
200	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 19.80
100	Kaiping	$ 24.25
	UNOFFICIAL	
600	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 19.80
1,250	Langkat	$ 9.90
6	S'hai Power (Pref)	$122.50
300	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 19.90
100	S'hai Land	$ 7.90
300	Kaiping	$ 24.25
500	Exploration	$ 5.30
100	Kaiping	$ 24.50

London Stocks

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

London, Sept. 6.

A more confident tone at the opening of the market was emphasised by better news from Central Europe. Prices generally improved. British gilt-edged securities rallied, while foreign bonds ruled steady. Gains in the industrial section were well scattered about the list. Gold mining shares were bright on overseas support.—Reuter.

War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£101 11/16	101 13/16
JAPANESE BONDS		
Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	40¾	40¾
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	46	46¼
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL		
Allied Ironfounders	20/-	20/-
Armstrong, Stevens	6/3	6/3
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	36/4½	36/9
Austin Motors, ord.	25/-	25/-
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	51/10½	52/-
British American Tob.	101/9XD	103/9
Cable & W., new form.	43¾	43½
Cammell Laird, ord.	7/6	7/9
Courtaulds	30/9	31/3
Distillers	96/3	96/6
Dunlop Rubber	24/1½	27/3
General Elec. (Eng.)	76/4½	77/-
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	113/6	113/6
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	26/-	26/-
Imp. Chem. Indus.	30/6	30/10½
Imp. Tobacco	138/1½	140/-
Leyland Motors	83/10½	81/3
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	56/3	56/10½
Pressed Steel, com.	13/4½	13/9
Rolls-Royce	98/9	98/9
Smethwick Drop Forgings	14/9	14/9
Tate & Lyle	76/10½	77/-
Turner & Newall	77/-	77/9
United Steel	22/1½	22/6
Vickers, ord.	20/-	20/1½
Woolworths	62/10½	63/1½
MISCELLANEOUS		
Anglo Dutch	28/6	28/6
Rubber Pltn. Invest.	29/6	29/6
MINES		
Burma Corp.	9/-	9/1½
Commonwealth Min.	2/3	2/3
Marsman Invest.	13/3	13/3
Randfontein Ests.	36/10½	37/6
Sub-Nigel	231/3	233/9
Tanami Gold Min.	6d.	6d.
Western Holdings	18/3	19/7½
OILS		
Anglo Iranian	101/10½	103/9½
Burmah	86/7½	90/-
Mexican Eagle	4/1½	4/3
Shell Trans. & Trad.	88/1½	90/-
CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.		
4½% Gold Loan, 1898	£77	77
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	69	69
4½% Anglo-French Loan	97½	97½
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	49½	49½
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	59½	59
5% Stg. Notes, 1925	18½	18½
5% Honan Rly., 1905	31	31
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	28½	28½
5% " " (Ger. Is.)	27	27
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	18½	18½
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	27	27
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	25	25
5% " " G.	24½	24½
5% " " (Supl. Loan) B.	24½	24½
5% " " (Supl. Loan) G.	24½	24½
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	22	22
S'hai Elec. Construction	25/- N	25/- N
S'hai Waterworks "A"	19½ N	19½ N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	30½	30½
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	12½	12½
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	86½	87½
" " (Col. Reg.)	89	89½
Chinese Eng. & Min.	15/4½	15/4½
Chosen Corp.	8/6	8/6
Pekin Syndicate	2/- N	2/- N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	23/9	23/1½

N—Nominal.

British Commodities

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London, Sept. 6.

Among commodities, rubber opened steady in sympathy with the East, and later improved in response to the better international political atmosphere.

London Rubber: Spot buyers 7 15/16 +1/16; sellers 8 1/16 +⅛; Oct. del. buyers 8, +⅛; sellers 8 1/16 +⅛.

London Sugar (Buyers). Dec. 5/5½ unc; Mar. 5/6½; May 5/7½ unc.

Liverpool Wheat: Oct. 4/9⅛ —1¾; Dec. 4/8, —1⅜; Mar. 4/8⅛ —1¼.

Liverpool Cotton: Amer. Futures: Oct. 4.56 —4; Jan. 4.64 —4; Mar. 4.67 —4; May 4.69 —4; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7): Sept. 6.61 —1; Oct. 6.61 —1; Nov. 6.61 —1; Jan. 6.88 —1.

London Metals: Copper, Stan. Cash sellers £41 5/16 +⅝; 3 mths sellers £41 9/16 +⅝. Electrolytic buyers £46½ +½; sellers £47½ +½. Tin, Stan. Cash sellers £193, +¾; 3 mths sellers £193¾ +¾. Lead, Foreign, official price, sellers £14¼ +⅜. 3 mths del. sellers £14½ +¼. Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £13 3/16 unc; 3 mths del. sellers £13 7/16 unc.—Reuter.

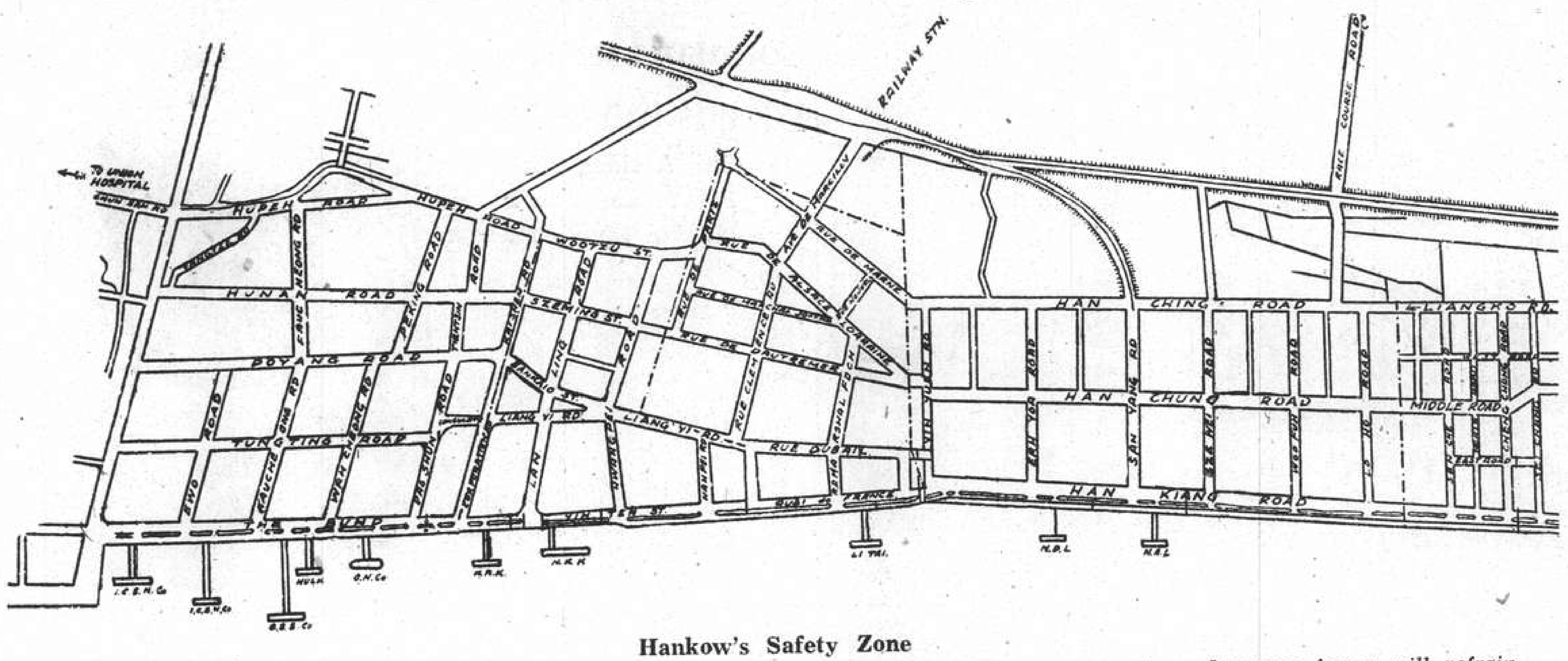
Silver Quotations

London, Sept. 7.

Considerably higher prices for silver were fixed in London today, with quotations being as follows:—

	Sept. 6	Sept. 7
London spot	19 1/16d.	19¼d.
" forward	18 13/16d.	19d.
London/New York:		
One pound	U.S.$4.82⅜	$4.82½
One U.S. dollar	49.715d.	49.741d.
Gold	144/2½d.	144/1d.

—Reuter.



Hankow's Safety Zone

About one half of Hankow is included in the area designated by the Japanese Government where Japanese forces will refrain from attacks to insure the safety of foreign property on condition that the Chinese forces do not make use of it for military purposes, a spokesman of the Japanese Foreign Office declared yester day. He said the area comprised the French Concession, the old British, German and Russian Concessions, the Customs House and the Bund near them.

New York Stocks

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

New York, Sept. 6.

Stock prices on Wall Street today finished with losses up to about 1 point, with movements very narrow and rather meaningless, in view of the unusually small volume of trading. Tension over the European situation is further subsiding, but traders, however, remained on the side-lines, despite the continuance of bright business reports. The turnover today amounted to 420,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Summary

	High	Low	Close	Change
30 Indust.	142.80	141.10	141.47	—1.01
20 Rails	27.65	27.33	27.48	—0.30
15 Utilit.	19.60	19.31	19.42	—0.17
40 Bonds	—	—	88.17	—0.10
11 Commod.	—	—	46.73	—

	Sept. 3	6
Adams Express	11⅝	11¾
Allegheny Steel Co.	19	18½
Allis Chalmers	50½	49⅝
Amer. Can	99½	98¼
Amer. & For. Power	3¾	3¾
" " $7 pfd.	B 18	18
Amer. Locomotive	20¾	B 19
Amer. Metal	35¾	35½
Amer. Radiator	16	15⅝
Amer. Rolling Mill	18¾	18
Amer. Smelting	49¼	47⅜
Amer. Sugar Refining	23½	22⅝
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	144½	144¾
Amer. Tobacco "B"	87¼	86½
Amer. Waterworks	10	9⅞
Anaconda Copper	34⅞	34⅜
Atchison, T. & S. Fe.	36¾	36
Auburn	B 3⅝	3⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	8	7¾
" " 4% Preferred	9¼	9
Barber Asphalt Corp.	20	20⅛
Barnsdall Oil Co.	18	17⅞
Bethlehem Steel	59⅜	58¼
Boeing Airplane Co.	24⅜	23⅝
Borg Warner	34¼	34
Briggs Mfg. Co.	36½	35⅞
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	10⅜	10
" $6 cum. pfd.	B 28⅛	B 27⅝
Can. Pacific Rly.	6⅛	6
Case, J.I.	90	88½
Chase Nat. Bank	B 30⅝	B 30⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	30⅛	*29¾
Chrysler	75⅛	73¾
Columbia Gas & Elec.	6¾	6½
" "A" pfd.	B 64⅝	B 64⅞
Coml. Credit	50¼	49½
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1⅛	1⅛
" $6 cum. pfd.	36⅞	36
Consolid. Edison	26⅞	26¾
Consolid. Oil	9	8⅞
Continental Can	41½	40¼
Continental Oil	30	29½
Corn Products	69⅛	70
Curtiss Wright (com.)	5⅛	5
" "A"	22	22½
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	16¼	16⅜
Douglas Aircraft	47¼	46½
Du Pont de Nemours	134½	133
Eagle Picher Lead	B 10¼	10¾
Elec. Bond & Sh.	7⅝	7⅜
" " $5 pfd.	B 47	B 47
" " $6 pfd.	54	B 53
Elec. Power & Lt.	36⅛	35
Flintkote	23¾	23⅞
Gen. Amer. Trans.	50	49½
Gen. Elec.	42⅜	41⅝
Gen. Motors	48	47¾
Gen. Rly. Signal	B 20½	20
Glidden Co.	23½	22½
Goodrich (B.F.)	24	23¾
" $5 pfd.	57	B 55
Goodyear Trie & R.	28¾	28
Great Nthern. Iron Ore.	B 12¼	12⅝
Great Nthrn. Rly.	21	20¾
Great Western Sugar	B 27½	27¼
Greyhound Corp.	16⅞	16½
Packer Prods.	7¾	7½
Int. Nickel	48⅞	49
Int. Tel. & Tel.	B 8⅛	8
Kennecott	41⅝	40¼
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	53½	52¼
Lockheed Aircraft	14¼	13¾
Loew's Inc.	52	51⅛
Macy, R.H.	48	47¼
Manhattan Shirt Co.	B *13	B 13
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	22½	22
McKesson & Rob. $3 pfd.	34	34
Monsanto Chemical	B 95	95
Montgomery Ward	48⅛	46¾
Nat. City Bank	B 24⅛	B 23½
Nat. Dairy Prods.	13¼	13
Nat. Distillers	B 24	24¾
Nat. Power & Lt.	7	6¾
Nat. Supply Co.	17⅝	16⅝
New York Central	18¼	18¼
North Amer. Aviation	9⅜	9⅛
North Amer.	20⅝	20
Northern Pacific	11⅞	11⅝
Pacific Gas & Elec.	26	26⅛
Pacific Lighting	B 35⅝	36⅛
Packard Motors	5	4⅞
Paramount Pictures Inc.	11½	11
Pennsylvania R.R.	19⅞	19¾
Phillips Petroleum	40¼	39½
Public Serv. of N.J.	29¾	29¼
Pure Oil	10⅜	10⅛
Radio Corp. of Amer.	7½	7¼
Republic Steel Co.	18⅝	18
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	42¼	42
Schenley	B 17¾	B 17¾
" 5½% pfd.	B 73½	B 73½
Sears Roebuck	74	73½
Shell Union Oil	15⅝	15¾
Socony-Vacuum	14	13½
Sthrn. Pacific	17⅞	18
Sthrn. Rly. 5% pfd.	18¾	18½
Stand. Brands	7⅛	7⅜
Stand. Gas & Elec.	B 3½	3⅝
Stand. Oil of N.J.	54	53½
Stone & Webster	10⅛	10
Swift International	B 27¼	27½
Technicolor	21¾	20⅞
Texas Gulf Sulphur	36¾	36¼
Tw.-Century-Fox	27⅛	26¼
" pfd.	35½	35
Un. Carbide & Carbon	84½	84
Un. Pacific	91	91
Un. Aircraft (new)	26⅝	26
Un. Airline Trans.	8¾	9
Un. Corp.	2¾	2⅝
" $3 pfd.	31¾	31
Un. Gas Corp.	3½	3½
Un. Gas Improvement	10	10
U. S. Rubber	46⅛	45½
" 8% pfd.	87¾	87¼
U. S. Steel	59	58¾
Vanadium	19¼	19½
Warner Bros. Picts.	6⅞	6⅜
Westinghouse Elec.	103¾	102½
Woodward Iron	B 18⅝	B 18½
BONDS		
Amer. & For. Power	52	51¾
Brazil	B 12	12
Cities Serv.	62¼	62¼
Int. Tel. & Tel. 4½s	99⅞	99¾
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s.	69¾	69⅜
New England Gas & Elec.	53½	53¼
Peru 6s 1961	9½	9
Stand. Gas & Elec.	B 50⅞	50

WEEKLY CLOSING STOCKS

	Aug. 30	Sept. 6
Air Associates	9¾	B 9¾
Amer. Cyanamid "B"	22⅛	23¾
Ass. Gas & Elec.	7	B 6⅛
Atlantic Gulf & W.	B 10¼	B 10⅜
Atlan. Refining	22¾	23⅜
Atlas Corp.	7⅞	7¾
Baltimore & Ohio	9⅜	9
Bank of Amer.	B 48	B 46¾
Borden Co.	16½	16⅝
Celanese Corp.	23⅛	23⅛
Chesapeake Corp.	38⅛	B 35
Coml. Solvents	10⅛	10⅜
Consumers Pwr. $4.50	B 86⅛	B 86
Corn Products 7% pfd.	B 168⅛	B 169½
Coty Inc.	4½	4⅛
Delaware & Hudson	20¼	19⅝
Delaware, Lackawanna	7	B 6⅞
Dist. Corp. Seagrams	B 75½	B 77¼
Eitingon Schild	4	3¾
Elec. Boat Co.	8½	8⅝
Elec. Power & Lt.	10⅛	10¾
Elec. Storage Battery	B 29½	29¾
Freeport Sulphur	29½	31½
Gen. Cigar	B 23½	23⅛
Gen. Foods	35	35⅝
Gen. Mills	B 68	68¾
Int. Dept. Stores	13⅜	13½
Lehman Corp.	25¾	26½
Lorillard	19¾	20¼
Mountain City Copper	6¼	6⅜
Nash Kelvinator	10⅛	9¾
Nat. Power & Lt. $6 pfd.	62⅜	B 62
Patino Mines	10½	10¾
Pure Oil, 5% pfd.	84⅞	B 82½
Sthrn. Cal. Edison	21⅛	21¼
Sthrn. Rly. com.	13¼	13⅛
Sterling Prods.	B 67	68½
Texas Corp.	43¼	44
Texas Pacific Land Trust	9¼	9¼
Tide water Ass. Oil	12¾	12¾
Timken Detroit Axle	14¼	14½
Transamerica (new)	10¼	10⅛
Un. Biscuit	B 16¼	16¾
U. S. Smelt. Ref.	63	61
Westinghouse Air Brakes	23	22¾

B—Bid *—Ex Dividend.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Trading on Wall Street today was light, awaiting the outcome of the Nazi rally at Nuremberg, although current developments were considered as hopeful. Domestic news had no influence on the market. Current steel operations are placed at 39 per cent. of capacity, due to the holiday on Monday. Retail trade advertising has moved mildly higher. Unfavourable factors today included: the weakness of wheat; nervousness of the foreign exchange market, although a better tone was in evidence in foreign markets. Fears are prevailing that the Wage-Hour Law may cause hardships in some lines.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, Sept. 6.

The uncertainty that characterised the share market yesterday was even more pronounced today and the market was decidedly weak, not because the amount of stock offered—since this was in reality very small—but because there were almost no buyers. Only in a few cases did prices improve. After the text of the the Fuehrer's proclamation became known, a more confident tone prevailed but this change occurred too late to affect the market appreciably. The tone of the bourse was distinctly affected by newspaper reports that the French government was taking special military defence measures on the French side of the common frontier with Germany.

Mining shares were especially weak with Harpener Minings dropping four points to 139. Lignites were not in demand at all, while potashes were also weaker.

Fixed interest securities were somewhat weaker, the market being very restricted. The Reichs old liquidation loan rose ⅛ to 129¾ however.

Call money stood at 2⅛ to 2⅜ per cent.—Trans-Ocean.

Federal Reserve Returns

New York, Sept. 6.

The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve system, in their report for the week ended August 31 respecting the entire body of reporting member banks of the system, reveal an increase of total loans amounting to $53,000,000 compared with the previous week and of $1,757,000,000 compared with the corresponding period of last year.

Investments show an increase of $95,000,000 from last week and of $299,000,000 from the corresponding period of last year.

Total loans during the period under review amounted to $8,270,000,000 and investments $12,591,000,000.—Reuter.

Steel Mill Operations on Downgrade

New York, Sept. 6.

Steel mill activity in the United States for the week commencing September 5 was placed at 39.9 per cent. of capacity, according to the weekly report of the American Iron and Steel Institute, which was published today.

This compares with 44.0 per cent. of capacity last week and 71.6 per cent. of capacity for the corresponding period of last year, showing increases of 4.1 per cent. of capacity and 31.7 per cent. of capacity respectively, compared with the figure for the week under review.—Reuter.

German Savings Show Further Increase

Berlin, Sept. 7.

During July, payments at the German National Savings Banks exceeded withdrawals by 103,900,000 Reichsmarks which is 75,700,000 more than in July, 1937. Total payments for the month amounted to 561,000,000 Reichsmarks or 61,000,000 more than in July last year.—Trans-Ocean.

U.S. Refined Sugar Exports Slump

New York, Sept. 6.

American refined sugar exports for the first seven month of this year amounted to 28,541 long tons compared with 38,723 long tons for the corresponding period in 1937, the Lamborn sugar survey said today.—United Press.

Japanese Govt. Bonds

Osaka, Sept. 7.

Kogo 5% Y.103.45

—Reuter.

U.S. Commodities

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New York, Sept. 6.

Trading in the cotton market was early moderately active but prices declined on lower Liverpool cables, the weakness of sterling and what nervousness over the European political siutation and increased private estimates. The trade, Liverpool and New Orleans were buying, but there was sufficient hedging to hold prices to only partial rallies. Finally, the market declined further on increased hedging and liquidation and closed barely steady, with quotations ranging from 12 to 15 points down.

Prices in the rubber market early advanced on the steadiness of London cables, which encouraged commission house and local buying. Subsequently, the market drifted-down on scattered offerings. At the last call-over, losses of 13 to 18 points were recorded.

Wheat prices in Chicago early slumped on the pronounced weakness of Liverpool and Buenos Aires advices and the disappointing progress of the Federal subsidy plan, which induced general selling and stopless orders. Additional unfavourable factors were keen export competition abroad, liberal Canadian marketings and an increase in the visible supply. At the finll bell, losses of 2 to 2⅛ cents were registered.

The sugar market declined on light scattered selling, liquidation and quiet London advices. At the close, quotations ranged from 1 to 1½ points down.

Since the reported imposition of silk export quotas by the Japanese Government is believed to be an effort to sustain values, sellers on the local silk market have been cautious. Traders, however, are generally awaiting clarification over the European political outlook. Closing quotations were from a ½ cent down to 1½ cents up.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
Oct.	7.96-98	—12	Dec.	16.31-33	—15
Dec.	8.03-04	—12	Jan.	16.32-38	—16
Jan.	8.00-00	—15		B/A	
Mar.	7.97-97	—14	Mar.	16.39-40	—17
May	7.96-96	—15	May	16.46-50	—18
July	7.95-95	—15		B/A	

New York Sugar No. 4			New York Silk		
Mar.	1.06½-07 B/A	—1	Sept.	1.70-71½ B/A	+½
May	1.09-09½ B/A	—1½			

Chicago Corn			Winnipeg Wheat		
Dec.	68⅛-62	—2⅛	Dec.	48-48⅛	—½
May	63⅞-63¾	—2	May	50⅛-50⅛	—⅛

Winnipeg Wheat			Montreal Silver		
Oct.	57½-57⅝	—1¾	Sept.	42.00 B	—30
Dec.	57¼-57⅜	—1⅞			

—Reuter.

Wheat Programme May Be Revised

Washington, Sept. 6.

The possibility of a revision in the Wheat Subsidy Programme, unless new foreign demand appears with the next few weeks, was admitted by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration today.

Demand from abroad, it is understood, has so far been surprisingly small.—Reuter.

All Foreign Agents in U.S. Must Register

Secretary of State Issues Special Regulations

Washington, Sept. 6.

The Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, today announced new regulations requiring all agents of foreign governments and alien political parties and virtually all foreign individuals associations to register with the Government within 30 days when resident in the United States.

The principal exceptions are agents of bona fide foreign business companies and accredited diplomats.

The new regulations require extensive statements by foreign agents detailing their business, addresses, contacts and associates and require the registration of all domestic agents of foreign organizations if the organizations are subsidized directly or indirectly from abroad.

Mr. Hull's announcement followed a Congressional investigation of Un-American activities in the United States and recent newspaper campaigns against alien political agents and foreign spies.—United Press.

Marseilles Port Services In Hands of Military

Port "Mobilized" to End Dockers Strike

Paris, Sept. 7.

The control and operation of the port services of Marseilles have been placed in the hands of a military commission as the result of a decree published today providing for the "mobilization" of the port.

The action of the authorities follows the refusal of dockers to comply with the new regulations regarding hours of work and overtime.

The dockers in Marseilles have been on strike for more than eight weeks as a protest against having to work on Sundays, at night and overtime. They were recently told that "labour troubles cannot be allowed to drag on in France, in view of the internal and international situation."

The decree is understood to mean that port powers will be handed to Government officials, assisted by the naval authorities. It is expected that the dockers will be mobilized and obliged to perform duties under naval supervision.—Reuter.

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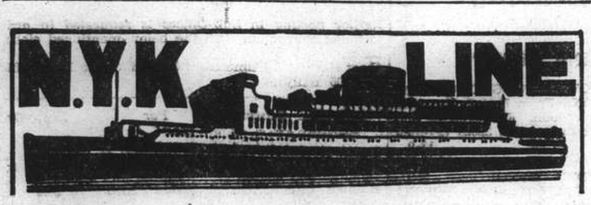

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C	MEMNON	Liverpool	Sept. 29	Sept. 30	Tsingtao and Japan ports
C	TALTHYBIUS	Pacific Coast	Oct. 1	Oct. 4	Hongkong
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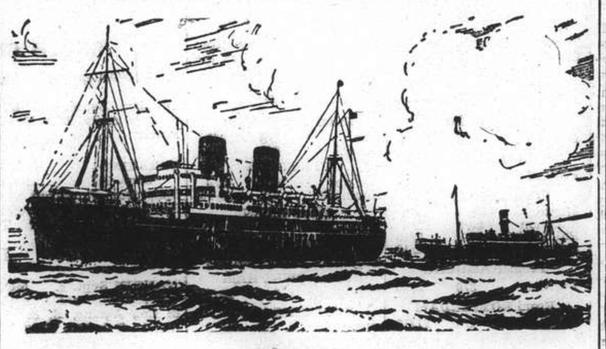

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	11 †RAJPUTANA	17,000
	25 †RANCHI	17,000
Nov.	1 *BURDWAN	6,100
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Sept. 20	Sept. 24	Sept. 26	Chenonceaux	Sept. 28	Sept. 30	Oct. 1
Oct. 2	Oct. 5	Oct. 7	Jean Laborde	Oct. 8	Oct. 10	Oct. 11
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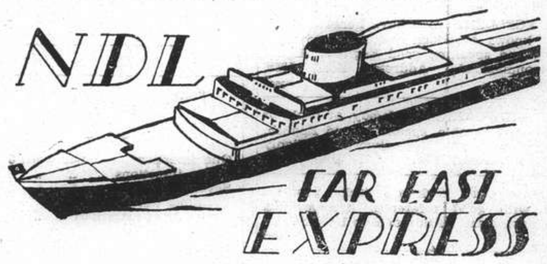

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Empress of Asia	Oct. 2	Oct. 17	Duchess of Atholl	Oct. 21	Oct. 28
			Empress of Britain	Oct. 22	Oct. 27
Empress of Canada	Oct. 16	Nov. 2	Duchess of York	Nov. 11	Nov. 17
Empress of Russia	Oct. 29	Nov. 14	Duchess of Atholl	Nov. 18	Nov. 25

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Deucalion	Br.	B.&S.
Kiangting	Ger.	Wha Foo
Tito	Port.	W.T.K.
Elsie Moller	Br.	W.T.K.
Yunyang M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Tungwo	Br.	Jardine
Tseangtah	Br.	Mow Tung
Chialing M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Hertha	Ger.	G.F.E.
Faro	Port.	P.N.&T.
Ethel Moller	Br.	T.C.C.
Fengyang M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Haikong	Ger.	Keh Lee
Whangpu	Br.	B.&S.
Tejo	Port.	I.C.R.N.
Haikwang	Br.	A.P.C.
Tsinan	Br.	B.&S.
Zuiderkerk	Net.	J.C.J.L.
Sandro Sandri	Ital.	W.T.K.
Yamagata M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Hunan	Br.	B.&S.
H.M.S. Duncan	Br.	—
Tingsang	Br.	Jardine
Alice Moller	Br.	Mollers'

Vessels Arriving

The first date is that of the ship's departure from the Port under which she appears; the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From OSLO			**From PORT SAID**		
Danmark	7/9	30/10	Elbe	2/9	26/9
From GDYNIA			Ranchi	8/9	2/10
Protesilaus	23/8	13/10	**From SUEZ**		
From LIVERPOOL			Cyclops	16/8	15/9
Mentor	13/8	25/9	Neumark	2/9	3/10
Memnon	20/8	29/9	**From ADEN**		
Philoctetes	27/8	7/10	Burdwan	6/9	3/10
Antenor	3/9	13/10	**From COLOMBO**		
From HAMBURG			Rajputana	5/9	18/9
Potsdam	3/9	8/10	**From SWET'HAM**		
From ROTTERDAM			Oldenburg	5/9	23/9
Rames	2/9	21/10	**From SINGAPORE**		
From MARSEILLES			Victoria	4/9	11/9
Tai Ping	3/9	7/10	Patroclus	6/9	15/9
From TRIESTE			**From SOURABAYA**		
Cortellazzo	20/8	7/10	Tjisaroea	8/9	26/9
From PORT SAID			**From SAIGON**		
Touraine	16/8	15/9	Volpi	5/9	11/9
Java	29/8	28/9	**From MANILA**		
			Scharnhorst	5/9	10/9
			C. of Oran	7/9	17/9

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From HOBERT			**From SAVANNAH**		
Talthybius	5/9	28/9	Adrastus	31/8	16/10
From NEW YORK			**From LOS ANGELES**		
Steel Traveler	—	8/9	Eurymedon	17/8	16/9
Tourcoing	23/7	11/9	**From OTARU**		
Mar. Maersk	10/8	25/9	Behar	6/9	12/9
Tweedbank	6/8	30/9	**From YOKOHAMA**		
C. Athens	17/8	14/10	Chitral	6/9	12/9
Trisbank	7/9	25/10			

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From DURBAN			**From HOBERT**		
Boissevain	23/8	25/9	Nellore	3/9	9/10

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN			**From WENCHOW**		
Tsingtao M.	—	9/9	Chungking	7/9	8/9
Glenshiel	7/9	10/9	**From SWATOW**		
Hoten M.	—	12/9	Ninghai	5/9	8/9
From TIENTSIN			**From HONGKONG**		
Kwaisang	—	8/9	Fooshing	—	8/9
Shengking	8/9	11/9	Taiyuan	6/9	10/9
Yatshing	—	12/9	Suiyang	6/9	10/9
From CHEFOO			Soochow	7/9	11/9
Shuntien	6/9	8/9	Hangsang	—	11/9
Leesang	—	11/9	Kiangsu	9/9	13/9
From TSINGTAO			Chengtu	11/9	15/9
Sarpedon	4/9	17/9			

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

FAUSANG Sept. 8. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Thursday, September 8, at 9 p.m. "B" Saloon Accommodation is Available. Tender for passengers 4 p.m., 6 p.m. and 8.45 p.m. Thursday from Customs Jetty. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 8-9

KAIPING Sept. 9. CHINWANGTAO DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration will despatch the steamer Kaiping, Captain J. B. Struth on Friday, September 9, 1938. For freight or passage, apply to the Agent, 30 Foochow Road. Tel. 11070. 9-9

NANNING Sept. 9. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Friday, September 9, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 9-9

SHUNTIEN Sept. 10. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Saturday, September 10, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 10-9

FINGAL Sept. 11. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, September 11. For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 11-9

CHUNGKING Sept. 13. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Tuesday, September 13, at noon. For freight apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 13-9

HANGSANG Sept. 13. CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, September 13. For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 13-9

SOUTH CHINA COAST

KWANGTUNG Sept. 9. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. From French Bund on Friday, September 9, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 9-9

KWAISANG Sept. 10. HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, September 10. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 10-9

SHANTUNG Sept. 10. CHUANCHOW, AMOY, HONGKONG and CANTON. — From French Bund on Saturday, September 10, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 10-9

NINGHAI Sept. 11. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Sunday, September 11, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 11-9

LEESANG Sept. 13. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, September 13. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 13-9

Vessels Leaving

SOUTH CHINA COAST

SUIYANG Sept. 13. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Tuesday, September 13, at noon. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund) 13-9

YATSHING Sept. 14. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, September 14. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 14-9

JAPAN

NANKIN Sept. 8. (From Shanghai) MOJI, KOBE, OSAKA and YOKOHAMA.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, E. & A. S. S. Co., Ltd. No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 8-9

STRAITS AND EUROPE

LEVERKUSEN Sept. 11. GENOA, ROTTERDAM and HAMBURG via PORTS.—The mv. Leverkusen, (Captain A. Bretschneider), sails for above ports on September 11, 1938. For freight and passage please apply to Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Filiale Shanghai, 20 Conton Road. Tel. 18709. 11-9

GLENSHIEL Sept. 12. LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and ANTWERP via HONGKONG and STRAITS.—Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Agents, Glen Line Ltd. Tel. 15290. 12-9

CHITRAL Sept. 13. MARSEILLES and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID and MALTA.—Last tender will leave the Customs Jetty at 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 13. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 13-9

MARECHAL JOFFRE Sept. 15. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 15-9

TALABOT Sept. 15. CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and OSLO via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE and PORT SAID.—Motor vessel Talabot of the Wilhelmsen Lines will be despatched from Shanghai on September 15, for the abovementioned ports. Through Bills of Lading issued for all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. For freight or passage please apply to Dodwell and Company, Ltd., 17 Canton Road. Tel. 11366. 15-9

VICTORIA Sept. 15. NAPLES and GENOA via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, BOMBAY, ADEN, MASSOWA and PORT SAID.—The Lloyd Triestino m.v. Victoria will sail from Shanghai on September 15, at 11 a.m. sharp. For Freight and Passage apply Lloyd Triestino, 26 The Bund. Tel. 16885. 15-9

SARPEDON Sept. 17. MARSEILLES, LONDON, ROTTERDAM and GLASGOW via ADEN.—For freight and passage apply Agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 17-9

REGENSBURG Sept. 19. MALTA, MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and BREMEN via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, BELAWAN, PORT SAID.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., General-Agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 19-9

SCHARNHORST Sept. 20. GENOA, SOUTHAMPTON, ROTTERDAM, BREMEN and HAMBURG via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, PENANG, BELAWAN, COLOMBO and PORT SAID.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., General Agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 20-9

NAGARA Sept. 25. ALGIERS, ORAN, CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG, OSLO and GOTHENBURG.—The Swedish East Asiatic Co., Ltd.'s m.s. Nagara will leave Shanghai on or about September 25, for the above mentioned ports. Through Bills of Lading to all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. Cargo for U.K. ports accepted on optional Bills of Lading. For freight and passage please apply to The Ekman Foreign Agencies, Ltd., Hamilton House, Foochow Road Entrance. Tel. 11330. 25-9

AMERICA

GERTRUDE MAERSK Sept. 16. LOS ANGELES and via PANAMA to NEW YORK, BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA, BOLTIMORE, SAVANNAH and NORFOLK.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., Agents, Maersk Line, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 16-9

AUSTRALASIA

NANKIN Sept. 8. (From Shanghai) RABAUL, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via JAPAN and PORTS.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, E. & A. S. S. Co., Ltd. No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 8-9

TAIPING Sept. 13. (From Hongkong) MANILA, THURSDAY I., CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE.—Australian-Oriental Line Ltd., Agents, Messrs. Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 13-9

Vessels Discharging

BURGENLAND. From Hamburg, Bremen, Rotterdam, Antwerp, Genoa, and via ports.—This vessel is now discharging all her cargo, at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf, subject to the usual terms and conditions as shown on the Wharf Tariff. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. Consignees of "Bulk" cargo are further requested to send their representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such cargo whilst being landed. Damaged cargo will be examined at the Wharf on Sept. 14, 1938, at 9.30 a.m. by the Surveyors, Tesdorff, Hannig & Co. No examination will be made after this date. All claims against this vessel must be sent in within fifteen days after the vessel's arrival. Claims sent in after this period will not be recognized. No Insurance will be effected. Hamburg-Amerika Linie Filiale Schanghai, No. 20 Canton Road. Tel. 18709. 10-9

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THURSDAY, Sept. 8.			
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	*19.00	7.15
Foochow	Shinkuang	7.30	8.00
Tsingtao and Dairen	Dairen M.	8.00	8.30
Haimen Che.	Don Pedro	8.30	9.00
Amoy H'kong (Y) Aust. (Y) N.Z. (Y) Manila Java	Tjisadane	10.00	10.30
Aust. N.Z. S.S. India Suez Europe via Suez	Haruna M.	10.00	12.00
Hongkong and Canton	Haruna M.	11.30	12.00
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Kaiping	13.30	15.00
Chinwangtao	Kaiping	14.30	15.00
Indo-China (Z) via H'phong	Kwangtung A	—	—
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Tejo	16.30	17.00
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Fausang	17.30	18.00
Haimen Che.	Don Jose	17.30	18.00
FRIDAY, Sept. 9.			
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Nanning	*20.00	7.30
Swatow and Hongkong ..	Kwangtung	*20.00	7.30
Foochow	Pipina x	8.00	8.30
Nantung	Nantung M.	14.30	15.00
Japan via Kobe	Yasukuni M.	15.30	16.00
Haimen Che.	M. Francisca	17.30	18.00
SATURDAY, Sept. 10.			
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shuntien	*19.00	7.30
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Shuntien	*20.00	7.30
Amoy Hongkong Canton .	Shantung	8.00	8.30
Tsingtao Chefoo Tientsin .	Fingal x	9.00	9.30
Hongkong	Kwaisang x	9.00	9.30
Aust. N.Z. Manila and Europe (Y)	Leverkusen BX	14.30	15.30
Hongkong and Canton ...	Leverkusen x	15.00	15.30
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	19.00	19.00

* The night before.
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Next steamer mails will be closed as follows :—
ss. Haruna Maru, via Suez, September 8, due London October 12.
ss. Victoria, via Suez, September 15, due London October 10.
ss. Empress of Japan, via Pacific, September 18, due London October 14.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service (Hongkong-Bangkok-London and Hongkong-Bangkok-Singapore-Australia) per ss. Haruna Maru, at 12.00 on September 8, and due Rome on September 18, and London on September 19.
Pan American Airways Service (Hongkong-San Francisco per ss. Haruna Maru, at 12.00 on September 8, and due San Francisco, on September 21.
Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per ss. Haruna Maru, at 12.00 on September 8, and due Amsterdam on September 22, and London on September 23.
Air France (Saigon-Marseilles Line) per available steamer to Hongkong for transmission to Saigon.
Air France (China-Hanoi-Marseilles Lines) per available str. to H'kong for transmission via Canton.
Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service:—Air mails will close thrice a week. For time of closing enquiry may be made at the counter.
Via C.N.A.C. or Eurasia planes sent to Hongkong for further transmission.

Train Mail

Light mails for or via Pengpu, Wuhu, Hangchow and N.S.R. close daily, at 8.30 p.m.
Light mails for or via River Ports beyond Kiukiang per available steamer via Canton.

Vessels Discharging

GLENGARRY. From London arrived on Sept. 5, and is discharging her cargo at Holt's Wharf, Pootung. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" are further requested to send their representative to the Wharf to verify the weight of such cargo whilst being landed. Free storage period expires on Sept. 14, 1938. Damaged cargo will be examined in the presence of a Customs Officer on Thursday, September 8, at 10 a.m. Claims must be presented within 15 days of vessel's arrival. No insurance effected. Butterfield & Swire, Inward Agents. 8-9

IXION. From Vancouver arrived on Sept. 5, and is discharging her cargo at Holt's Wharf, Pootung. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" are further requested to send their representative to the Wharf to verify the weight of such cargo whilst being landed. Free storage period expires on Sept. 14, 1938. Damaged cargo will be examined in the presence of a Customs Officer on Friday, September 9, at 10 a.m. Claims must be presented within 15 days of vessel's arrival. No insurance effected. Butterfield & Swire, Agents. 8-9

DEUCALION. From Liverpool arrived on Sept. 6, and is discharging her cargo at Holt's Wharf, Pootung. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" are further requested to send their representative to the Wharf to verify the weight of such cargo whilst being landed. Free storage period expires on Sept. 15, 1938. Damaged cargo will be examined in the presence of a Customs Officer on Saturday, Sept. 10, at 10 a.m. Claims must be presented within 15 days of vessel's arrival. No insurance effected. Butterfield & Swire, Agents. 9-9

NANKIN. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Nankin, from Australia and Ports. —This steamer is berthing at Nos. 12-13 Buoys and her cargo will be discharged at the Pootung Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their Representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such Cargo whilst it is being landed. Examination of ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Pootung Wharf on Wednesday, Sept. 14, at 9 a.m., by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy. All Claims against this steamer must be sent in within fifteen days from date of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognised. All risks of Fire etc. at the Wharf and Godowns to be borne by the Consignees of the Cargo. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents. 10-9

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Yesterday's Arrivals

Name	From	Consignees
Hsin Peking	Wenchow	B.&S.
Nanning	Ningpo	B.&S.
M. Margarida	Ningpo	Maria S.N.
H.M.S. Suffolk	Cruise	—
Lyder Sagen	—	D.K.K.K.
Kwangtung	Hongkong	B.&S.
Marie Moller	Tungchow	Mollers'
Dama	Ningpo	T.C.C.
Katie Moller	C'wangtao	K.M.A.
Burgenland	Hongkong	H.A.L.
Nagasaki M.	Japan	N.Y.K.
Wantung	Tongkow	B.&S.
Don Pedro	Haimen	C.F.S.S.
Dairen M.	Dairen	D.K.K.
Avemaria	Tungchow	Tung Lee
Chialing M.	Tsungming	N.K.K.
Fuhwo	Chitung	Jardine
Kiangting	Hupu	Wha Foo
Don Joao	Haimen	T.T.H.K.
Com. Paolini	Wenchow	C.I.N.
Wusueh	Hupukow	B.&S.
Norse Trader	Hongay	Wallem
Suiwo	Tungchow	Jardine

Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
Aphis	Br.	Gbt.	B.N.B.
Otus	Br.	Sub.	B.N.B.
Suffolk	Br.	Cr.	B.N.B.
Asheville	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
Oahu	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
D. de Lagree	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
Primauguet	Fr.	Cr.	F.N.B.
E. Carlotto	Itl.	Gbt.	G. Pont.
Lepanto	Itl.	Gbt.	J.N.B.
Montecuccoli	Itl.	Cr.	1/2 B.
Destroyer 16	Jap.	Dest.	8 B.
Futami	Jap.	Gbt.	17 B.
Harusami 2	Jap.	Dest.	4 B.
Kuma	Jap.	Cr.	N.Y.K.M.W.
Ohio M.	Jap.	Rcs.	O.S.K.Y.W.
Shohei M.	Jap.	Tr.	C.M.L.W.

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Name	Flag	Berthed
Analock	Br.	Int. D.W.
Asiatica	Br.	A.P.C.L.W.
Breiva	Nor.	Y.P.D.
Daikokuzan M.	Jap.	Buoys 25-26
Deslock	Br.	Buoys 13-14
Fausang	Br.	K.L.Y.W.
Fingal	Nor.	Buoys 18-19
Fukwang	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Fungshan M.	Jap.	Buoys 30-30a
Gladys Moller	Br.	Int. D.W.
Glengarry	Br.	H.W.P.
Haruna M.	Jap.	W.S.W.
Havdrot	Nor.	Buoys 24-25
Hsin Peking	Br.	C.N.C.W.
Jenny Moller	Br.	K.M.A.W.
Josephine Moller	Br.	O.D.W.
Kaiping	Br.	K.M.A.W.
Kathleen Moller	Br.	Mc W.
Kaysieg	—	Y.P.D.W.
Kenilworth	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Kintang	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Kungwo	Br.	Buoys 29-30
Liwo	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Lushan M.	Jap.	O.S.K.Y.W.
Malacca M.	Jap.	W.S.W.
Marion Moller	Br.	Buoys 22-23
Mendelta	Br.	Int. D.W.
M. Margarida	Port.	K.L.Y.W.
Nancy Moller	Br.	I.D.W.
Nanning	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Nils Moller	Br.	P.W.W.
Nordwind	—	H.S.W.P.
Norse Trader	Pan.	Buoys 32-33
Pacific	Dan.	Buoys 19-20
Pelikan	Ger.	K.L.Y.W.
Pipina	Gre.	K.L.Y. B. 1-2
Shantung	Br.	Buoys 28-29
Shinfu	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Shinkuang	Br.	Mc W.
Silksworth	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Siushan	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Suiting	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Taishin M.	Jap.	Buoys 27-28
Tatung	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Tjisadane	Net.	H.W.P.
V. Emmanuelle	Port.	Int. D.W.
Vindeggen	Nor.	K.L.Y.B.
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Weather, Time and Tide

Thursday, Sept. 8, 1938 (13th day of 7th moon)	Siccawei September 6 16.00	Siccawei September 6 21.00	Siccawei September 7 4.00	Siccawei September 7 9.00	Gutzlaff 9.00	Gutzlaff 14.00
Barometer inches at 32 F.	29.86	29.91	29.88	29.90	—	—
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	+0.11	+0.10	+0.08	+0.03	—	—
at 32 F. (,, ,, 12 hrs.)	+0.06	+0.04	+0.02	—0.01	—	—
Wind (direction)	N	NE	NNE	NNE	—	—
,, (miles per hour)	8.1	5.6	4.3	5.6	—	—
Temperature (Fahr.)	82.°8	75.°7	70.°5	80.°6	—	—
Humidity %	69	80	99	76	—	—
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	9	9	6	4	—	—
Rainfall inches	—	—	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report September 6	Mean 1938	24 hours variation	Previous average same period (65 years)
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.86	+0.08	29.84
Temp. Min. 68.°9 Max. 89.°8	79.°3	—0.°7	76.°5
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	42.60	—	34.88

Date	8/9	9/9	10/9	11/9	12/9	13/9	14/9	15/9	16/9
Sun rises at Shanghai	5.33	5.34	5.34	5.35	6.35	5.36	5.36	5.37	5.38
Sun sets at Shanghai	6.10	6.08	6.07	6.06	6.05	6.04	6.02	6.01	6.00
Moon rises at Shanghai	17.12	17.44	18.18	18.53	19.30	20.11	20.56	21.47	22.43
Moon sets at Shanghai	4.13	5.07	6.04	7.01	7.59	8.59	10.01	11.02	12.02
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18.00	9.10	9.50	10.28	11.02	11.40	12.25	13.07	13.45	14.30
Ebb. makes Shai. 6 to 18.00	15.02	15.35	16.06	16.38	17.10	17.45	18.26	6.30	7.16
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18.00	11.05	11.45	11.45	12.37	13.18	13.44	14.29	15.12	15.38
Height above LLW. (feet)	—	11.25	11.60	11.55	11.21	10.18	10.30	9.70	9.05